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A Picture of Corruption?

Editor:

Kudos to Thadeus Greenson for staying on the Travis Schneider story (“Never, ever, ever” Again,” Sept. 29). It is understandable that Mr. Schneider wants to be in good standing with his family, but to brush off the “size” and number of his mistakes with, “Life is full of mistakes,” is a lot to swallow. This whole story stinks to heaven. It’s an example of why many people can’t trust their governments. Supposedly there are laws and rules governing how things are to be done, but the individuals in charge make hasty judgments and sign off on issue they should scrutinize. Will the Coastal Commission also fall prey to the same chicanery?

“Money talks” — is the metaphor or the so-called “errors” we see here? How is one to explain the rationalizations of Mr. Bongio? Such egregious disregard for the regulations! What’s so ambiguous here?

Walter Pence, Eureka

Editor:

Congratulations, Supervisor Bohn and Commissioner Bongio. I generally don’t get disgusted very easily. But the team of the two of you have succeeded in getting me riled up. The overt racism exhibited by Mr. Bongio (“Supes Censure Embattled Planning Commission Chair, Sept. 22) was bad enough. The irony of Mr. Bohn refusing to remove him from the commission is not lost on us, given Mr. Bohn’s history of telling jokes about Mexican thievery. Compounding matters, both men displayed out and out cronyism, first by Mr. Bongio toward the brazen actions of his developer buddy, then by Mr. Bohn, “I can’t fire my friend. I’m sorry.”

I’m sorry also, Mr. Bohn, that you can’t muster the integrity to do your job with honor. This entire boondoggle does nothing if not besmirch the reputation of the county, the Board of Supervisors, the Planning Commission and those of both men. It paints the county in the light of a banana republic.

Both men should be removed from their positions, if they can’t summon the integrity to own up to their outrageous behavior and remove themselves.

Dave Kahan, Redway

Editor:

I seem to remember that long ago the land at the end of Walker Point was protected in some way and then some time previous to 2013 that somehow unraveled and opened to development. Too bad. Meanwhile, Mr. Schneider sounds like a real smooth talker and many are smitten.

Kathryn Travers, Eureka

Editor:

“Never, Ever, Ever Again” what?

Improper exemption of the entire project from environmental review?

Road built without permits?

Removal of native plant species within a protected wetland?

Heavy equipment desecration of well-known 100-year-old Indigenous sacred site?

Construction of mansion twice the size permitted and six times larger than the next largest house in the area, in violation of Coastal Commission standards?

Dumping fill 10 times the amount stated in permit?

All treated with tender gloved hands by the Planning Department. “People make mistakes!”

... offering a flagrant contrast with Humboldt city and county treatment of the less fortunate: refusing to provide housing for homeless, causing three to four deaths per month according to Affordable Homeless Housing Alternatives, the savagely triumphant eviction of the community behind the Office of Education, claiming sanitation issues, for which no municipal support had ever been provided, and throwing residents’ belongings into dumpsters, a gunpoint attempt to evict a decades-old community, on private land in Trinidad in 2014, etc., etc.

The Clinton-era mantra “it’s the economy, stupid” is meaningless. Rich and poor live in different universes. It’s the culture.

Ellen Taylor, Petrolia

‘Misinformation?’

Editor:

I found Laurie Rose’s letter (Mailbox, Sept. 22) in response to mine, very curious. She seems to understand that the COVID vaccines do not reliably stop transmission of the virus, which was the point of my letter. So why did she call my letter “misinformation?”

She appears to have read quite a lot into my brief letter. When I point out that officials admitted, updated, if you will, their message regarding the vaccines, she claims that I imply we were formerly lied to. That is her interpretation, not my statement.

As to my statement “it is disturbing,” that referred to Terry Torgerson’s message in his cartoon, promoting the erroneous idea that the vaccines “stop the spread.”

I did find Ms. Rose’s letter disturbing in one aspect. She claims, “From almost the beginning, scientists, epidemiologists and other health professionals let us know the vaccines would not necessarily prevent you from getting the virus.” While there



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Amy Gustin, Ettersburg

'No More Apologies for Putin'

Editor:

Why do people contend that Putin's invasion of Ukraine lies with the United States and its western allies (Mailbox, Sept. 22)? The aphorism "Russia is a country with an unpredictable past" comes to mind. I have personal experiences with those who have lived through the Soviet era, including my wife who was born in Russia. When she moved to this country, I learned that Russians were not made aware of inconvenient historical events that did not fit the proffered narrative to its citizens. Historical events such as the 1939 non-aggression pact signed by Hitler and Stalin was one of these. Another was any mention of the Cuban missile crisis in 1962. Even Stalin's image has been rehabilitated in recent times to suit the needs of Putin and his allies.

The shifting mythologies and cover up of historical events are not unique to Russia, but it nevertheless is an object lesson how history has been manipulated, altered and politicized. The conflict between Russia and Ukraine, with its competing views regarding the legitimacy of Ukraine's sovereignty, has its roots going back many centuries.

As to the contention by Putin apologists that if NATO had not expanded to include Eastern European countries after the collapse of the Soviet Union all of the

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Nobody talks about this stuff,
Like politics and newcomers,
Poking,
Unless we can all turn askew,
Upwards. All of us.
'Cause we all see the center from afar.

—Sam A. Flanagan

events now unfolding would never have happened is utter nonsense. Those living under the thumb of the Soviet Union had a valid reason to distrust Moscow and made their own decisions regarding entry into the NATO fold. They were not coerced into doing so. Shifting historical narratives has always been a political tool manipulated by those in power. For those Russians who challenge the prevailing narrative, as by simply uttering the word war instead of "limited military engagement," a prison sentence hangs over their head. No more apologies for Putin.

Jeff Hogue, Fortuna

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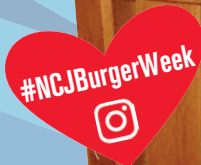
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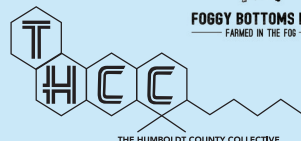
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Nancy Pelletier, Arcata

Correction

The story headlined "44 Feet" in the Sept. 15, 2022, edition of the *North Coast Journal* included inaccurate information about local electricity provider Redwood Coast Energy Authority's requests to contract for power. The requests were made in an effort to secure replacement energy for the Diablo Canyon nuclear plant, and RCEA is not buying nuclear power. The *Journal* regrets the error and any confusion caused.

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Supes OK Fish Farm Environmental Review

Unanimous vote clears major hurdle for Nordic Aquafarms

By Elaine Weinreb

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The proposed Nordic Aquafarms California fish farm project on the Samoa Peninsula lurched forward Aug. 28 as the Board of Supervisors, at the end of a nine-hour meeting, voted unanimously, with Fifth District Supervisor Steve Madrone absent, to reject an appeal of the project's environmental impact report and grant the company three necessary permits. But the board's action came with some conditions: The company must produce an annual "sustainability report" to track its greenhouse emissions — including those caused by fish food consumption and its fleet of delivery trucks — and it must hold an annual forum to discuss issues that have arisen during the year, while donating a minimum of \$25,000 yearly to an "appropriate community project."

In addition, the project's construction must proceed in two phases, and the second phase cannot begin until the first — which includes cleaning and remediating the polluted site it will occupy — is satisfactorily completed.

Nordic aims to raise Atlantic salmon in a huge land-based facility to be constructed on the site of an abandoned pulp mill, which is heavily polluted and which Nordic has committed to clean up before beginning construction. All the fish will be raised from eggs in land-based tanks, and will not come into contact with either Humboldt Bay or the Pacific Ocean at any point in their life cycles, according to Nordic, which says numerous safeguards are in place to prevent fish escape. Wastewater will be cleansed and purified before being released into the ocean through an existing outfall pipe that extends 1.5 miles offshore. Two-and-a-half million gallons per day of fresh water will be supplied by the Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District, and 10 million gallons per day of salt water will be filtered and taken from the Humboldt Bay.

The project, if and when completed, will be the largest in the world, producing 25,000 tons of salmon each year. Nordic has already built smaller facilities in Europe and is also trying to build another large facility in Maine.

The Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) for the giant fish farm had been approved in August by the Humboldt County Planning Commission. At that time, the commission also recommended that the Board of Supervisors grant the necessary permits and certify that the environmental report was adequate and complete. This decision was appealed by three citizens' groups: Humboldt Fisherman's Marketing Association, the Redwood Regional Audubon Society and 350

Humboldt.

Much of the lengthy Aug. 28 meeting was taken up reviewing previous presentations made by Nordic staff and by the county planning staff. The three appellants were given a total of a half-hour to voice their objections.

At times, one might have wondered if everybody was discussing the same document, with Nordic representatives, county staff and the Humboldt Bay Harbor, Conservation and Recreation District, which is a co-applicant, insisting that the FEIR adequately covered all possible impacts and the appellants vehemently insisting it did not.

Brendan Semmes, board member of the Humboldt Fisherman's Marketing Association and Trinidad Fisherman's Association, described the concerns of the fishing community. He pointed out that the two main Nordic executives who had proposed the project three years ago — Eric Heim and Marianne Naess — have left to create a new company that will build much smaller fish farms.

"This departure from Nordic should be an eye-opener for all the people with the power to approve or deny this project," Semmes said. "The more we learn about this project, the more concerns we have. ... Commercial fishermen continue to oppose this project. The Nordic project has nothing but negative impacts to the commercial fishing industry. ... Massive amounts of fish being dumped onto the wild fish markets, competition for the fish-processing workforce and a gargantuan carbon footprint when compared to wild-sourced fish."

Semmes insisted the FEIR was flawed and did not fully address possible impacts to Humboldt Bay. He worried about the billions of gallons of Humboldt Bay water that would be pumped, filtered, heated or cooled, and "used as a vehicle to transport hundreds of thousands of pounds of biological wastes generated by Nordic's fish back into the community ocean."

He was also concerned about the possible impact to the local Dungeness crab fishery. He wanted an "independent, verifiable and enforceable viral waste monitoring program" that could make sure that wastewater was not being drawn back into Humboldt Bay. He was concerned about the possible creation of algal blooms that could result in the increased prevalence of toxic domoic acid, which has closed fisheries in the past.

Semmes was also worried about entrainment, an unfortunate occurrence in which millions of tiny sea creatures at the base of the ocean food chain could be drawn into the project's water intake system.

Jim Clark, representing Audubon, told the board his organization's comments and concerns were not adequately addressed in the FEIR. He cited an eight-page letter attorney Mark R. Wolfe prepared for Audubon and submitted to the board. The letter listed numerous criticisms of the document. These include allegedly ignoring recommendations from the California Department of Fish and Wildlife to address impacts on the ecosystem of escaped fish; ignoring the possibility that pheromones released by captive fish would disrupt the migratory patterns of wild salmon, and creating an inadequate estimate of the project's carbon footprint. Wolfe's letter asked the county to prepare and circulate a revised environmental impact report that would address those and several other concerns.

Greenhouse gas emissions were of prime concern to 350 Humboldt, a nonprofit dedicated to reversing or at least limiting climate change. Daniel Chandler, a member of 350 Humboldt's steering committee, described the document as a "fairy tale EIR," charging that the emissions associated with the project were grossly underestimated.

One such inadequacy, he said, is the FEIR's failure to address the energy used in the manufacture of fish food. County planners said this is beyond the scope of what's required in the environmental review, likening it to holding a grocery store accountable for the amount of energy used to manufacture cheese.

Chandler offered several suggestions for ways Nordic could compensate for the greenhouse gases generated by fish food manufacturing. These included: contributing money to an estuarine conservancy; using only plant-based fish foods; helping develop a local composting facility that could dispose of "fish sludge," requiring that Nordic use zero-emission trucks to transport its products; and requiring Nordic to use only natural refrigerants, such as ammonia, which have a much lower climate change effects than their synthesized counterparts.

Larry Oetker, the executive director of the Harbor District, gave numerous reasons why the project should be approved. The peninsula is undergoing an economic revitalization, he said, and "anchor tenants" are needed. The project would generate jobs, re-use existing infrastructure and could get much of its energy needs met by a microgrid that could be built nearby if and when offshore wind becomes a reality.

Nordic Interim CEO/CFO Brenda Chandler

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pointed out that most seafood consumed in the U.S. is imported with a huge carbon footprint, and the project would provide a local source of high quality protein. She said Nordic chose Humboldt County because of its good water, progressive politics and the availability of the peninsula site. She expressed her willingness to work with the community.

Numerous members of the public phoned in to express their views, some supportive and others critical of the project. Planning Director John Ford explained some of the more esoteric aspects of the complicated planning process and answered many of the questions raised by the public.

Eventually, the supervisors got down to brass tacks and began arguing the merits of the project among themselves and questioning both Ford and Nordic representatives. Evaluating and testing the health of the fish got a lot of bandwidth. The economic feasibility of the project was discussed, as were the roles of various other permitting agencies. Issues concerning greenhouse gases were brought up. At times the discussion got heated.

The arguing, questioning and explaining continued for two more hours and, as evening approached, First District Supervisor Rex Bohn made a motion to deny the appeal and allow the project to move forward. The motion was seconded by Second District Supervisor Michelle Bushnell. Third District Supervisor Mike Wilson then amended the motion, asking Nordic to include an annual report on its use of fish food and efforts to de-carbonize its fleet of vehicles, so that its carbon footprint could be evaluated annually. Based on that figure, Nordic would then be required to contribute money for carbon sequestration efforts within Humboldt County, focusing on marine projects. The actual implementation would be made by county staff. Wilson also wanted "additional testing within the biological effluent stream."

"Transportation is the biggest piece of our CAP [Climate Action Plan] within the county,"

he added, "so I really want something very specific."

To accomplish all this, he wanted a break in the current meeting, during which county planning staff and the Nordic team could talk, presumably to iron out how these things could happen.

This created more argument among the supervisors but after further discussion, the motion passed, and the supervisors took a break while Ford and his staff met with the Nordic team.

When the break was over, Ford announced that the biological effluent testing requirement had been deemed impractical, but that the other conditions Wilson requested could be met. Nordic's contribution to local sustainability projects would be a minimum of \$25,000 per year.

Bohn withdrew his original motion so the amended one could be voted upon. Wilson seconded, and it passed unanimously, with Madrone absent due to a family medical emergency.

"We've had more people in this room for a 10,000-square-foot cannabis project than for a 50,000-square-foot fish farm," Bohn observed.

Even with the supervisors' blessing, Nordic is still a long way from breaking ground. It must get additional permits from the California Coastal Commission, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board, the National Marine Fisheries and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers before it can proceed.

CEQA also gives appellants — in this case the Fisherman's Marketing Association, the Redwood Regional Audubon Society and 350 Humboldt — 30 days to file a lawsuit challenging the county's certification of the FEIR. ●

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PlanCo Mulls Official Apology to Wiyot Tribe

The Humboldt County Planning Commission was set to consider Thursday (after this edition of the *Journal* hit newsstands) sending a letter of apology to three Wiyot area tribes whose officials found Commission Chair Alan Bongio's comments during its Aug. 18 meeting deeply offensive.

After a representative for local developer Travis Schneider accused the Wiyot Tribe and Blue Lake Rancheria representatives of lying during the Aug. 18 meeting, Bongio launched into several rants, during which he accused the two local tribes of negotiating in bad faith, reneging on an agreement and playing a "game" with cultural resources, while repeatedly using the term "Indians" in reference to multiple local tribes. The comments caused tribal officials to walk away from the meeting deeply offended, with Wiyot Tribal Chair Ted Hernandez saying he'd lost faith in the Planning Commission and a Blue Lake Rancheria spokesperson questioning whether it could fairly decide the matter.

At the next Planning Commission meeting on Sept. 1, Bongio apologized to

"the tribes" — without specifically naming them — if he "in any way offended them." At the same meeting, Commissioner Noah Levy offered his own personal apology and said he'd like to see the Planning Commission consider drafting a "formal apology," and Bongio indicated he'd "be willing to be part of that."

The agenda packet for the commission's Oct. 6 meeting does not indicate who worked on the letter but includes a draft, which is vague in certain respects, failing to specify who made the offending comments.

"This letter is written to express our sincere apology to the Wiyot People," it states. "At the Planning Commission meeting of Aug. 18, 2022, comments were made that were inappropriate. We as a body recognize that these were insensitive, racist and biased. The comments added to past injury and injustices resulting from governmental actions. We as the Humboldt County Planning Commission did nothing to address the problem in the moment so we are all responsible. We understand this has damaged the relationship between the Planning Commission and the Wiyot

People. We apologize for each of our roles in this event and ask for your forgiveness."

The letter concludes by asking the tribes, if they would be willing, to schedule a meeting outside of the courthouse so the commissioners can "hear from you, grow in our understanding and seek restoration."

The draft letter comes before the Planning Commission a week after Bongio said at a meeting of the Humboldt Community Services District board, on which he sits as president, that he'd said his "apologies" for his comments and been told they "didn't mean anything," adding that his "conscience is clear" and he's moving forward. A motion to remove Bongio from his role as board president in response to his conduct at the Aug. 18 Planning Commission meeting then died for lack of a second.

Discussion of the apology letter also comes at the Planning Commission's first meeting since the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to censure Bongio and ask that he resign his position as the commission's chair. To date, Bongio has given no public indication whether he intends to do so, though

First District Supervisor Rex Bohn, who appointed him to the commission, said he would rescind his appointment entirely if Bongio does not resign as chair of the commission.

Meanwhile, the problems surrounding the project Bongio was attempting to advance — construction of Schneider's family home after numerous permit violations — at the Aug. 18 meeting have only worsened. As the *Journal* reported last week ("Never, Ever, Ever' Again"), approved building plans for the project are more than twice the square footage allowable under the project's coastal development permit (CDP) and Schneider was also issued a grading permit to bring in 10 times more fill dirt than allowable under the CDP, which is supposed to be a project's guiding document, according to Planning Director John Ford.

The Planning Commission was set to meet at 6 p.m. Oct. 6 in the Humboldt County Courthouse. Check northcoastjournal.com for updates.

— Thadeus Greenson

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They Said It

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— Yurok Tribal Chair Joseph L. James after the tribe and California State Parks signed an historic agreement that removes barriers to allow tribal members to engage in traditional cultural practices, including the gathering of plants and minerals, on park lands in their ancestral territory. POSTED 09.28.22

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Providence Santa Rosa Memorial Hospital, in Santa Rosa, California on July 23. With the help of a consulting firm, one of the country's largest nonprofit hospital chains trained staff to wring money out of patients, even those eligible for free care.

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They Were Entitled to Free Care. Hospitals Hounded Them to Pay.

By Jessica Silver-Greenberg and Katie Thomas

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In 2018, senior executives at one of the country's largest nonprofit hospital chains, Providence, were frustrated. They were spending hundreds of millions of dollars providing free health care to patients. It was eating into their bottom line.

The executives, led by Providence's chief financial officer at the time, devised a solution: a program called Rev-Up.

Rev-Up provided Providence's employees with a detailed playbook for wringing money out of patients — even those who were supposed to receive free care because of their low incomes, a *New York Times* investigation found.

In training materials obtained by the *Times*, members of the hospital staff were instructed how to approach patients and pressure them to pay.

"Ask every patient, every time," the materials said. Instead of using "weak" phrases — like "Would you mind paying?" — employees were told to ask how patients wanted to pay. Soliciting money "is part of your role. It's not an option."

If patients did not pay, Providence sent debt collectors to pursue them.

More than half the nation's roughly 5,000 hospitals are nonprofits like Providence. They enjoy lucrative tax exemptions; Providence avoids more than \$1 billion a year in taxes. In exchange, the IRS

requires them to provide services, such as free care for the poor, that benefit the communities in which they operate.

But in recent decades, many of the hospitals have become virtually indistinguishable from for-profit companies, adopting an unrelenting focus on the bottom line and straying from their traditional charitable missions.

To understand the shift, the *Times* reviewed thousands of pages of court records, internal hospital financial records and memos, tax filings, and complaints filed with regulators and interviewed dozens of patients, lawyers, current and former hospital executives, doctors, nurses and consultants.

The *Times* found that the consequences have been stark. Many nonprofit hospitals were ill-equipped for a flood of critically sick COVID-19 patients because they had been operating with skeleton staffs in an effort to cut costs and boost profits. Others lacked intensive care units and other resources to weather a pandemic because the nonprofit chains that owned them had focused on investments in rich communities at the expense of poorer ones.

And, as Providence illustrates, some hospital systems have not only reduced their emphasis on providing free care to the poor but also developed elaborate systems to convert needy patients into

sources of revenue. The result, in the case of Providence, is that thousands of poor patients were saddled with debts that they never should have owed, the *Times* found.

Founded by nuns in the 1850s, Providence says its mission is to be "steadfast in serving all, especially those who are poor and vulnerable." Today, based in Renton, Washington, Providence is one of the largest nonprofit health systems in the country, with 51 hospitals — including St. Joseph in Eureka — and more than 900 clinics. Its revenue last year exceeded \$27 billion.

Providence is sitting on \$10 billion that it invests, Wall Street-style, alongside top private equity firms. It even runs its own venture capital fund.

In 2018, before the Rev-Up program kicked in, Providence spent 1.24 percent of its expenses on charity care, a standard way of measuring how much free care hospitals provide. That was below the average of 2 percent for nonprofit hospitals nationwide, according to an analysis of hospital financial records by Ge Bai, a professor at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health.

By last year, Providence's spending on charity care had fallen below 1 percent of its expenses.

The Affordable Care Act requires nonprofit hospitals to make their financial assistance policies public, such as by post-

ing them in hospital waiting rooms. But the federal law does not dictate who is eligible for free care.

Ten states, however, have adopted their own laws that specify which patients, based on their income and family size, qualify for free or discounted care. Among them is Washington, where Providence is based. All hospitals in the state must provide free care for anyone who makes under 300 percent of the federal poverty level. For a family of four, that threshold is \$83,250 a year.

In February, Bob Ferguson, the state's attorney general, accused Providence of violating state law, in part by using debt collectors to pursue more than 55,000 patient accounts. The suit alleged that Providence wrongly claimed those patients owed a total of more than \$73 million.

Providence, which is fighting the lawsuit, has said it will stop using debt collectors to pursue money from low-income patients who should qualify for free care in Washington.

But the *Times* found that the problems extend beyond Washington. In interviews, patients in California and Oregon who qualified for free care said they had been charged thousands of dollars and then harassed by collection agents. Many saw their credit scores ruined. Others had to cut back on groceries to pay what Provi-

dence claimed they owed. In both states, nonprofit hospitals are required by law to provide low-income patients with free or discounted care.

"I felt a little betrayed," said Bev Kolpin, 57, who had worked as a sonogram technician at a Providence hospital in Oregon. Then she went on unpaid leave to have surgery to remove a cyst. The hospital billed her \$8,000 even though she was eligible for discounted care, she said. "I had worked for them and given them so much, and they didn't give me anything." (The hospital forgave her debt only after a lawyer contacted Providence on Kolpin's behalf.)

Gregory Hoffman, Providence's chief financial officer, said in an interview that the *Times'* findings about the hospital system's treatment of poor patients "are very concerning and have our attention." He said Providence wanted "to get things right, on behalf of our communities and on behalf of our patients," though he acknowledged that the Rev-Up program initially had "some hiccups," including sending Medicaid patients to debt collectors.

Melissa Tizon, a spokesperson for Providence, said the health system stopped doing that in December, although that was two years after an executive raised internal alarms about the practice. Providence has also instructed the debt collection firms it works with to not use "any aggressive tactics such as garnishing wages or reporting delinquent accounts to credit agencies," she said.

Tizon said Providence was the largest provider of charity care in Washington. While the hospital system has been providing less of that care in recent years, she said, Providence has been treating more patients on Medicaid, the federal-state insurance program for poor people.

"Our practices comply with and in many instances exceed state requirements," she said.

Paying with Poultry

Providence's transformation from a small charitable organization to a huge hospital system mirrors the story of the country's nonprofit hospitals.

Providence was founded in 1856 when, at the request of a local bishop, Mother Joseph and four other nuns from the Sisters of Providence trekked from Montreal to Vancouver, Washington, to provide services to the poor. Their first hospital, St. Joseph, was a single room with four beds. The hospital charged patients \$1 a day, not including extras like whiskey.

Patients rarely paid in cash, sometimes offering chickens, ducks and blankets in exchange for care.

At the time, hospitals in the United States were set up to do what Providence did: provide inexpensive care to the poor. Wealthier people usually hired doctors to treat them at home.

Given their work serving the indigent, hospitals were exempted from state and federal taxes.

That system remained relatively unchanged until the federal government created Medicare and Medicaid in the 1960s. Millions more people suddenly had insurance that covered medical expenses.

The IRS began allowing hospitals to justify their tax exemptions by providing a broader range of loosely defined benefits to their communities beyond treating patients for free. Some hospitals took advantage of the new leeway, arguing that things like employees' salaries counted toward the IRS requirement.

Top government officials warned that hospitals were abusing their privileged status as nonprofits.

"Some tax-exempt health care providers may not differ markedly from for-profit providers in their operations, their attention to the benefit of the community or their levels of charity care," IRS Commissioner Mark W. Everson wrote to the Senate in 2005.

Some hospital executives have embraced the comparison to for-profit companies. Dr. Rod Hochman, Providence's CEO, told an industry publication in 2021 that "nonprofit health care" is a misnomer.

"It is tax-exempt health care," he said. "It still makes profits."

Those profits, he added, support the hospital's mission. "Every dollar we make is going to go right back into Seattle, Portland, Los Angeles, Alaska and Montana."

Since Hochman took over in 2013, Providence has become a financial powerhouse. Last year, it earned \$1.2 billion in profits through investments. (So far this year, Providence has lost money.)

Providence also owes some of its wealth to its nonprofit status. In 2019, the latest year available, Providence received roughly \$1.2 billion in federal, state and local tax breaks, according to the Lown Institute, a think tank that studies health care.

The greater the hospital system's profits, the more money it could pump into expanding. In addition, the greater its cash reserves, the stronger its credit rating. A pristine rating allowed Providence to inexpensively borrow money, which it could then funnel into further growth.

Over the past decade, Providence has opened or acquired 18 hospitals. Hochman earned \$10 million in 2020.

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'Don't Accept the First No'

Even before the Rev-Up program, Providence was collecting money from poor patients, sometimes in violation of state laws, according to five current and former executives and a review of patient complaints filed with regulators.

Harriet Haffner-Ratliffe, 20, gave birth to twins at a Providence hospital in Olympia, Washington, in 2017. She was eligible under state law for charity care.

Providence did not inform her. Instead, it billed her almost \$2,300. The hospital put her on a roughly \$100-a-month payment plan.

It was more than Haffner-Ratliffe, who was unemployed, could afford. She had to ration gas for her car. One day, her boyfriend walked into their apartment and found her surrounded by bills, crying. When she fell behind on the payments, Providence dispatched a debt collector to pursue her.

For people already on the financial brink, debt collection companies can push them over the edge. The companies often inform credit-rating firms about patients' debts, which can torpedo their credit scores. That, in turn, can make it much harder and more expensive to buy or rent a car or home or to borrow money.

Haffner-Ratliffe's ordeal chopped her credit score by about 200 points. For years, she couldn't get a credit card. (Tizon, the Providence spokesperson, said that the hospital had told Haffner-Ratliffe about how to seek financial aid but that she had not completed her application. Haffner-Ratliffe and her parents dispute that.)

Around that time, in 2018, Providence was looking for ways to save money. It had recently merged with another nonprofit hospital system, and integrating the two was expensive.

Providence turned to the consulting firm McKinsey & Co. The firm's assignment was to maximize the money that Providence collected from its patients, the five current and former executives said. In essence, the hospital system wanted to apply the tactics it had used with Haffner-Ratliffe to even more patients.

McKinsey's solution was Rev-Up, whose name was an apparent reference to the goal of accelerating revenue growth.

Training materials instructed administrative staff to tell patients — no matter how poor — that "payment is expected," according to documents included in Washington's lawsuit and training materials obtained by the *Times*. Six current and former hospital employees said in interviews that they had been told not to mention the financial aid that states like Washing-

ton required Providence to provide.

One training document, titled "Don't accept the first No," led staff through a series of questions to ask patients. The first was "How would you like to pay that today?" If that did not work, employees were told to ask for half the balance. Failing that, staff could offer to set up a payment plan. Only as a last resort, the documents explained, should workers tell patients that they may be eligible for financial assistance.

Another training document explained what to do if patients expressed surprise that a charitable hospital was pressuring them to pay. The suggested response: "We are a nonprofit. However, we want to inform our patients of their balances as soon as possible and help the hospital invest in patient care by reducing billing costs."

Staff members were then instructed to shift the conversation to "how would you like to take care of this today?"

Exhorting employees to do their jobs well, some versions of the training materials invoked a famous line from a speech by Martin Luther King Jr.: "If it falls your lot to be a street sweeper, sweep streets like Michelangelo painted pictures."

Tizon, the spokesperson for Providence, said the intent of Rev-Up was "not to target or pressure those in financial distress." Instead, she said, "it aimed to provide patients with greater pricing transparency."

"We recognize the tone of the training materials developed by McKinsey was not consistent with our values," she said, adding that Providence modified the materials "to ensure we are communicating with each patient with compassion and respect."


But employees who were responsible for collecting money from patients said the aggressive tactics went beyond the scripts provided by McKinsey. In some Providence collection departments, wall-mounted charts shaped like oversized thermometers tracked employees' progress toward hitting their monthly collection goals, the current and former Providence employees said.

On Halloween at one of Providence's hospitals, an employee dressed up as a wrestler named Rev-Up Ricky, according to the Washington lawsuit. Another costume featured a giant cardboard dollar sign with "How" printed on top of it, referring to the way the staff was supposed to ask patients how, not whether, they would pay. Tizon said such costumes were "not the culture we strive for."

The Rev-Up program alarmed some Providence employees.

"It was awful working for this rich system and not being able to help people

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who were just crying in front of me," said Stephanie Shufelt, who worked in patient registration at a Providence hospital in Portland, Oregon, until February of 2021.

Taylor Davison, who worked in the emergency department of a Providence hospital in Santa Rosa, California, until last year, said Providence's tactics had struck her as predatory. She was told to approach patients as soon as doctors had finished examining them. She would crouch at their bedside and ask for money. She was required to document in the patients' charts that she had repeatedly pushed for payments.

Employees were urged to collect any amount, no matter how small, she said. Some patients offered as little as \$2, which she accepted.

"Here are people coming in at the worst moment of their lives, and I'm asking them to empty their wallets," Davison said.

Providence paid McKinsey at least \$45 million in 2019 for its assistance, tax filings show.

Warning About Harm to Patients

When patients left a hospital without paying, Providence sent them at least three bills. If they still did not pay, they would receive one last warning.

"This is your final opportunity to pay your account," one such letter said. Otherwise, it went on, Providence would enlist "a third-party agency that may adversely affect your credit rating."

Under Washington's law, Providence was supposed to screen patients at the hospital to assess whether they qualified for free or discounted care. But Providence often checked patients' income only after months of hounding them had failed, according to depositions included in the Washington lawsuit and internal memos that a former Providence executive shared with the *Times*.

At that point, Providence ran accounts through a screening tool provided by Experian, a credit reporting company, to determine whether accounts were eligible for free care.

But despite Rev-Up, the amount of free care that Providence was providing was "spiking," an executive later explained in an email to colleagues. So in 2019, Providence's chief financial officer at the time, Venkat Bhamidipati, and other executives made a change, according to the five current and former Providence executives and depositions included in Washington's lawsuit.

Previously, when treating patients who were on Medicaid, Providence eventually

waived any outstanding portion of their bill. In 2019, Providence stopped doing that. Medicaid patients were sent to debt collectors instead. That appeared to violate laws in Washington, Oregon and California that required nonprofit hospitals to provide free care to patients earning below certain thresholds, according to regulators.

Some Providence executives warned that the changes were harming patients.

"I just want it made clear to our leadership that patients that would normally have been eligible for charity care are going to bad debt," Lesa Wood, a director of financial counseling and assistance, emailed colleagues in late 2019.

In 2020, a Providence executive wrote to co-workers to report that the system's charity care spending was down "across all markets."

Skimping on Groceries

In November of 2020, Paulo Aguirre went to a Providence hospital in Orange County, California, with a splitting headache, blurred vision and nausea. Doctors gave him a shot that made the pain "go right away," he said.

Aguirre earned minimum wage working at a dental office and was on California's version of Medicaid, known as Medi-Cal. Under California law and Providence's financial assistance policy, his low income qualified him for free care.

In early 2021, Aguirre said, he received a bill from Providence for \$4,394.45. He told Providence that he could not afford to pay.

Providence sent his account to Harris & Harris, a debt collection company. Aguirre said that Harris & Harris employees had called him repeatedly for weeks and that the ordeal made him wary of going to Providence again.

"I try my best not to go to their emergency room, even though my daughters have gotten sick and I got sick," Aguirre said, noting that one of his daughters needed a biopsy and that he had trouble breathing when he had COVID-19. "I have this big fear in me."

That is the outcome that hospitals like Providence may be hoping for, said Dean A. Zerbe, who investigated nonprofit hospitals when he worked for the Senate Finance Committee under Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa.

"They just want to make sure that they never come back to that hospital and they tell all their friends never to go back to that hospital," Zerbe said.

Last October, an ambulance rushed Alexandra Nyfors to the Providence hospital in Everett, Washington. A diabetic, she was severely dehydrated, and her kidneys were



Alexandra Nyfors, who spent about two weeks in a Providence hospital with kidney ailments, at home in Everett, Washington, on Aug. 9. With the help of a consulting firm, one of the country's largest nonprofit hospital chains trained staff to wring money out of patients, even those eligible for free care. Nyfors had no idea she qualified until she read about Washington's lawsuit. *Jovelle Tamayo/© 2022 The New York Times*

failing. Providence put her on intravenous medications to treat an underlying infection. She spent about two weeks in the hospital.

Nyfors, 66, is covered by Medicare, and her only income is about \$1,700 a month in federal disability payments. Under Providence's policies and state law, she was eligible for free care because of her low income.

But Providence billed her \$1,950 — the amount left over after Medicare covered its share. The remaining sum was daunting. It was getting colder, and Nyfors knew her heating bill would gobble up much of her monthly check. But when she went on the hospital's website, she said, there were only two choices: pay in full or set up a payment plan.

Nyfors agreed to have \$162.50 automatically withdrawn from her bank account each month until the bill was settled. She started buying fewer groceries, she said. She went without heat. She split her medication in two to make it last longer.

She had no idea she qualified for free care until she read about Washington's lawsuit. After Nyfors was interviewed by *The Everett Daily Herald*, Providence forgave her bill and refunded the payments she had made.

In June, she got another letter from Providence. This one asked her to donate money to the hospital: "No gift is too small to make a meaningful impact."

Following a Script 'Like Robots'

In 2019, Vanessa Weller, a single mother who is a manager at a Wendy's restaurant in Anchorage, went to Providence Alaska Medical Center, the state's largest hospital.

She was 24 weeks pregnant and experiencing severe abdominal pains. "Let this

just be cramps," she recalled telling herself.

Weller was in labor. She gave birth via cesarean section to a boy who weighed barely 1 pound. She named him Isaiah. As she was lying in bed, pain radiating across her abdomen, she said, a hospital employee asked how she would like to pay. She replied that she had applied for Medicaid, which she hoped would cover the bill.

After five days in the hospital, Isaiah died.

Then Weller got caught up in Providence's new, revenue-boosting policies.

The phone calls began about a month after she left the hospital. Weller remembers panicking when Providence employees told her what she owed: \$125,000, or about four times her annual salary.

She said she had repeatedly told Providence that she was already stretched thin as a single mother with a toddler. Providence's representatives asked if she could pay half the amount. On later calls, she said, she was offered a payment plan.

"It was like they were following some script," she said. "Like robots."

Later that year, a Providence executive questioned why Weller had a balance, given her low income, according to emails disclosed in Washington's litigation with Providence. A colleague replied that her debts previously would have been forgiven but that Providence's new policy meant that "balances after Medicaid are being excluded from presumptive charity process."

Weller said she had to change her phone number to make the calls stop. Her credit score plummeted from a decent 650 to a lousy 400. She has not paid any of her bill.

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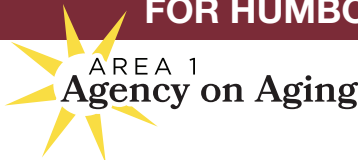
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Hmong American Entrepreneurship at Yang's Kitchen

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The circular Yang's Kitchen tent set up in Old Town for the last Friday Night Market of the year resembles a beehive. Owner Thao Yang and his wife, Mai Vang, dart around and past one another from the bubbling fryers to the stainless steel bowls of sauce and up to the front window to pass paper trays of eggrolls and saucy chicken wings to a young man taking orders and calling out customers' names to the cluster of people on the curb. Around the sides and the open flap in back of the tent, a handful of friends and family are milling and chatting.

Yang's Kitchen is one the few Hmong-owned food businesses in Humboldt County and among those, possibly the only food vendor or restaurant. Yang has been making the rounds selling mainly wings, eggrolls, crab cheese puffs and fried rice and noodles at local events and on Wednesdays at the Bigfoot Taproom in McKinleyville. But he's got his sights on expanding with a broader menu that includes more Chinese and Hmong dishes, as well as a truck from which to sell them.

Born and raised in Eureka, Yang says the climate drew his Hmong parents Chong Yang and Va Xiong, who immigrated from Laos after fighting for the U.S. during the Vietnam War, to the North Coast after stints in Boston and Fresno. "Eureka is very similar to Laos so my parents love it here," Yang says, explaining the region they're from also has a cool climate by the ocean, forests and mountains, as well as good hunting and fishing.

Like many Hmong Americans, including his parents, Yang has mainly been doing farm labor, growing vegetables and

raising animals. But for the last 10 years or so, he's been thinking about moving from food production to selling food. "It was time to do something else — I've been farming my whole life." He'd worked for a friend at the former Mekong Café in Old Town, but he first learned to cook helping his mother at home — no small task in their household.

"When you're cooking Hmong food, they don't like just one type of dish," says Yang, "they like varieties, so we do four or five dishes ... we have a feast." Big celebrations are on a whole other scale. "We do big feasts when we do family reunions. We'll butcher a whole cow or a whole pig, [and serve] some stewed, some stir-fried, some soup, some barbecue." In his family, of course, that includes some of the items on the Yang's kitchen menu. "We cook a lot of wings, too, but we do deep fried, dry rubs. ... A lot of the Hmong elders aren't into all that sauce ... not like us young people," he says with a quick laugh. "The elders are very picky with what they eat," and if they don't like what you've made, "They're not scared to tell you."

To up his game, Yang traveled to Phonsavan, Laos, for a three-month cooking course. "After eating the Lao food in Laos and in the States," he says, "I can really taste the difference." Eventually, he wants to incorporate what he's learned for both traditional and fusion dishes. Traveling also gave him more time with Vang, whom he met at a five-day-long New Year's celebration in Laos in December six years ago. A year later, they married, though bringing her to the U.S. was a difficult two-year process slowed by the pandemic. "It was really tough ...

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Mai Vang and Thao Yang at the Yang's Kitchen stall at the Friday Night Market.

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we made it," he says, their 4-year-old son talking happily in the background.

Vang's help with the business is crucial, says Yang. "Her cooking [both Lao and Hmong] is very authentic. She's been cooking for her family her whole entire life, since 8 years old." The couple has also gotten a hand finding a scarce commercial kitchen to work out of from old friend Ronnie Worasen, whose Hunan Restaurant they're using for prep ("Hunan Restaurant's Chinese and Lao Revival," July 23, 2020). He and Worasen grew up together, says Yang, and have known each other for some 30 years.

Starting out with accessible, well-loved Chinese snacks, Yang hopes to create a solid base. "Everybody loves that, you know." So far, it's done well, most days selling out of 500-800 eggrolls, 60 pounds of wings, and full chafers of fried rice and chow mein, which emptied in only a couple hours. With more demand, Yang has had to hire more help for prep and he's now on the hunt for a food truck.

Yang says he'll keep menu favorites once he scores a truck — and hopefully a brick-and-mortar restaurant someday

— but he'll be able to add more Chinese takeout classics like kung pao chicken, as well as Hmong stir-fries and soup. "A lot of Hmong dishes [are] pretty healthy for you," he says, with "a lot of vegetables, not too greasy." Though less saucy, the Hmong dishes he wants to serve are flavorful with ginger, chili peppers, lemon-grass and garlic.

Until then, Yang is staking out vendor space at upcoming events, like the Oct. 16 Sara Bareilles concert in Halvorsen Park. He's even weighing taking a shot at Bear River Casino Resort's Taco Fest the day before, but it depends on whether his friend, a skilled Mexican cook, can help him out. He's up for trying something with quesabirria, maybe in an egg-roll. Wherever you see the Yang's kitchen tent next, remember it sells out fast.

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Klamath Closed to the Take of Adult Kings

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If you're looking to harvest an adult Chinook salmon in the Klamath basin, the Trinity River will be your only option as of Thursday. The California Department of Fish and Wildlife determined last Friday that the recreational fall-run Chinook salmon catch will have met the Upper Klamath River adult fall-run Chinook salmon quota (of 360) below Iron Gate Dam for the 2022 season as of 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 5.

This triggers the closure of the adult fall-run Chinook salmon fishery on the main stem of the Klamath River from 3,500 feet downstream of the Iron Gate Dam to the State Route 96 bridge at Weitchpec. The adult fall-run Chinook salmon fishery on the lower Klamath River, from the estuary to the State Route 96 bridge at Weitchpec, closed Sept. 5. The spit fishery at the mouth of the Klamath also closed Sept. 5 and will remain closed to all fishing for the rest of the year.

Except within 100 yards of the mouth (spit area), the main stem of the Klamath River will remain open for the harvest of salmon (jacks) less than or equal to 23 inches. All adult Chinook salmon caught must be immediately released and reported on an angler's report card. The daily bag limit remains two jacks per day.

Both the upper and lower Trinity River sections remain open to the harvest of adult fall-run Chinook salmon. The daily bag limit on the Trinity River is two fall-run Chinook salmon with no more than one adult greater than 23 inches.

Anglers may monitor the quota status of open and closed sections of the Klamath and Trinity rivers by calling California Department of Fish and Wildlife's fishing



Eureka resident Tia Hauan holds a jack salmon taken on the lower Klamath earlier in the season. Photo courtesy of Alan Borges/Alan's Guide Service

information hotline at (800)564-6479.

The Oceans:

Eureka

With calm seas in the forecast for Tuesday, a small fleet of boats ran southwest in search of some late-season tuna action. Capt. Tony Sepulveda of Shellback Sport Fishing was one of the boats that set a south, southwest course. "At about 38 miles from the entrance we found 61 degree water on the northern flank of the Mendocino Ridge and started tacking west along the structure," said Sepulveda. "There were good signs of bait over a big area with consistent jig stops on as many as four hookups at a time. We ended our day with 21 big-grade albacore between 20 and 36 pounds on a flat ocean. We also found a spot where 60- to 120-pound bluefin put on a great show, crashing bait within casting distance of the boat. But as anyone who's spent time chasing bluefin knows, seeing and catching are very different things." Most of the other boats landed between six and 10 fish, but they were big ones ranging from 25 to 38 pounds.

Shelter Cove

According to Jake Mitchell of Sea Hawk Sport Fishing, the tuna action slowed down last week. He said, "The warm water is still close and there seems to be fish around. It's been tough to get the fish to bite, which is typical for this time of the year. The rockfish bite is still good, and limits have been coming pretty easily."

The Rivers:

Lower Klamath

Fishing has gotten a little tougher on the lower Klamath as the run is winding down. There are some kings still trickling in and some steelhead showed up along with some coho. The late-run kings should be making their way into the river soon, especially if we see some rain. Boat pressure has been light. The daily bag limit is two jack Chinook 23-inches or less and two hatchery steelhead.

Chetco estuary

"After a week of good fishing in the Chetco estuary, salmon fishing slowed down over the weekend before the action picked up again on Monday," said Andy Martin of Wild Rivers Fishing "Lots of hatchery kings and wild kings so far this season. Anglers may keep one adult wild king a day on the Chetco and two per season. The daily limit is two adult kings a day, but only one wild. A few salmon are being caught in the tidewater on bobbers and sand shrimp, but the best action has been trolling anchovies along the jetties. Salmon also are biting on the Rogue Bay, with a mix of wild kings and hatchery coho."

Read the complete fishing roundup at northcoastjournal.com. ●

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Chalk artist Jaimal Kordes was brushing the finishing touches on this hummingbird portrait for his panel sponsored by Ink People Center for the Arts. Photo by Mark Larson



Pastel-chalk teams of all ages worked on several sponsored panels. Photo by Mark Larson

Pastels on the Plaza's Fleeting Beauty Returns

By Mark Larson
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More than a few of the 180-plus pastel-chalk artists participating in this year's Pastels on the Plaza in Arcata started showing up by 7 a.m. under a foggy sky on Saturday, Oct. 1. The creative social event with its ephemeral art began back in 1987 as a major fundraiser for Northcoast Children's Services. NCS serves more than 1,000 children in 30 locations throughout Humboldt and Del Norte counties each year. With around 60 programs, the organization provides families with children from birth to age 5 free or low-cost comprehensive preschool and family services each year.

"This year felt like a much more normal event," said Rodney Oien, executive director of NCS. "It's great to have so many returning artists and such strong support from sponsors and business partners." Because of the pandemic, the event was canceled in 2020 and transformed into a physically distanced, two-day event in 2021. This year, artists were scheduled

for morning or afternoon times to help spread them out around the plaza side-walks. This made for an interesting viewing for attendees — by 11 a.m., several art pieces were already done, many were still in progress and several artists hadn't yet started.

Each sponsor "purchased" a sidewalk square or two and found an artist willing to create an original pastel-chalk artwork on that square. The plaza was closed to vehicle traffic and the artists were surrounded by the usual farmers market vendors on the streets. Live music played in the center of the plaza as the crowd of art lovers wandered the plaza for hours on Saturday and many others visited on Sunday to check out the very colorful but very temporary works.

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Pastel chalk artist Michelle Dobosh wore her artistic medium on her hands after working on her panel for sponsor Arcata Scoop. Photo by Mark Larson



The North Coast Journal's own chalk artist Renée Thompson neared the end of her panel. Photo by Mark Larson



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By Collin Yeo

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The zaftig orb weaver, often called a pumpkin spider, near my front door is getting fatter on her buggy spoils by the day, preparing for her brief voyage into motherhood before she returns to her ancestors in the Land of Frosts. My night walks and bike rides are by default becoming sharper and creepier, with leaves crunching underfoot and animals scuttling around in preparation for the darker days ahead. This is all good news to me, as the fall presents a feeling unlike any other. Everything is exciting right now, transforming and buzzing. If you find yourself feeling a little sad about the onset, I recommend watching the movie *M. Hulot's Holiday*. It's a summer-to-fall ritual for me helping ease whatever reservations I have about leaving the high sunshine. Plus, it's hilarious. That's all, no more fancy words this week, nothing left beyond my regular sign-off hoping that you have a good week. So go get to it.

Thursday

It's the kick-off for the 11th annual Savage Henry Comedy Festival, which will see a crowd of comics perform in a fat smattering of local venues. What should we call a group of stand ups, anyway? We have a murder of crows, a superfluity of nuns and a parliament of owls already extant in our language. A desperation of comedians, perhaps? A spent baggie of jesters? A wet drink ticket of humorists? I'm sorry, I'm done. Maybe you can pony up the \$20 required to get inside Savage Henry Comedy Club tonight at 11 p.m. and ask the pros: performers **Ron Lynch**, **Eddie Pepitone**, **JT Habersaat**, and **Evan Vest**, who will all be doing their thing for laughs.

Friday

Low Hums are a psychedelic rock band from Seattle, lately scaled down to a trio that trades in the kind of back to the beginning psychedelia that hit oh-so-right in the mid-1960s. The Miniplex hosts the

group tonight at 9 p.m., with local mellow yellow submarines **The California Poppies** on board as well (\$10, \$5 advance). If this is of interest to you, don't be like Peter from David Bowie's

"Memory of a Free Festival," who tried to climb aboard, "but the captain shook his head/ and away they soared/ climbing through the ivory vibrant cloud/ someone passed some bliss among the crowd/ and we walked back to the road, unchained."

Saturday

Cal Poly Humboldt is throwing a Homecoming Block Party on the corner of Harpst and Rossow streets at 11:30 a.m. This event is free and open to the public, and will feature live music by semi-big groups (in order of descending fame): **Portugal. The Man**, **Free Nationals** (Anderson Paak's live backing band) and **Sunsquabi**.

Back when I was a young chap getting deep into punk rock, I was told by a great many purists that the era of Black Flag that I preferred, when the band was sludgy and creepy-crawled its riffs to buttress the hoarse screams of frontman **Henry Rollins**, wasn't real punk and I was a poser. Well, I've since learned that most people are posers and certainly everyone who loves a genre over style and innovation. Rollins himself has more or less made a career out of talking through his many life experiences since he was launched into infamy via that golden era of Flag's output. You can enjoy his spoken word storytelling excellence tonight at the Van Duzer Theatre. Having seen him a decade ago in New Orleans on my birthday, I can certainly recommend watching him do his thing at 8 p.m. (\$35).



The Low Hums play the Miniplex at 9 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 7.

Photo courtesy of the artists.

Sunday

Beetlejuice has always been an evolving cultural item for me. No, I'm not talking about the small, bug-eyed fella in Howard Stern's Wack Pack who has improbably outlived many of his comrades, nor am I talking about the original recipe for Campari before they changed it back in '05. I am, of course, talking about Tim Burton's second greatest film. When I was a small, horror-obsessed kid, I loved the dark, death-filled storyline and hideous special effects. When I reached the age of unreason (puberty), I saw an incredible potential with Winona Ryder's character, who is the Platonic Ideal of a goth girlfriend. Now, as a reasonably developed man of deeper experience to accompany my grays, I just really love listening to the sweet, shakin' sounds of Harry Belafonte. Whatever your motivating attractors might be, you can fulfill your big screen hankerings for this flick at the Arcata Theatre Lounge at 5 p.m. (\$8). Bonus burst of gothy energy available in the form of a full moon tonight.

Monday

Karaoke is something that one rarely associates with Monday night. However, with the way the world is careening right now, any dopamine-releasing distractions from the sickening akimbo tumble are welcome vistas and oases. Hit the Jam at 8 p.m. if you need your fix. **DJ Dustin** presides.

Tuesday

Kingston, Jamaica's **Kabaka Pyramid** are a modern reggae act full of the rhythmic goods, hip hop hybridization in the vocals, and lush arrangements that are contemporary hallmarks of the genre. The Arcata Theatre Lounge is the destination tonight if you want to get a little taste at 7 p.m. (\$24, \$20 advance).

Wednesday

Singer/songwriter **Todd Snider** is one of the most popular raconteurs in the modern folk scene (yes, I am certain that I must be the 1,000th music writer or so to call him some variation of that). But it's true, he's found his audience and is always well received in this part of the country. Tonight at 6:30 p.m., he'll be doing his thing at the Arcata Theater Lounge, with similarly aligned artist **Ryan Montbleau** in tow as the opener (\$35 standing, \$40 seated).

If that show ends up doing what it very likely will and sells out, then your best bet in the vicinity is to check out Humbrews tonight, where a Grateful Dead tribute band called **Bearly Dead** will be doing its thing at 9 p.m. (\$12). I would hazard a guess that even without any consideration paid to the colloquial use of the term "bear," this act is likely full of hairy men, making music for (generally) the same. ●

Collin Yeo (he/him) is now a sensible man, by and by a fool, and presently a beast! He lives in Arcata.

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Heads up, horror freaks. The fabulous and infamous **Dell'Arte Macabre Cabaret** is coming up and you don't want to be left in the dark. One of the company's most popular shows, the cabaret features a mixture of terrifying and humorous, sexy and spooky, and it always sells out. So, get your tickets now for the **8 p.m.** shows **Oct. 13-15** at the **Dell'Arte Carlo Theatre** (\$20, \$15 seniors/students). The 18-and-up show promises a night filled with Eldritch horrors, comedy of the occult, grotesque acts, witchy wonders, live music and specialty cocktails. Find out more (and get those tix) at dellarte.com.



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Yuk it up, y'all. The side-busting shows you know and love are back during the 11th annual **Savage Henry Comedy Festival** getting underway **Oct. 6-Oct. 8** at locations throughout the county. For three days, our local clubs, hot spots, lounges and watering holes will host around 140 comedians from all over the country. Names you know (or will know) include Robert Berry, Mac Ruiz, Eddie Pepitone, Ben Roy, Jessica Grant, Josh Barnes, Evan Vest, Kelly McInerney and many, many, many more. Get into everything for \$65 or spring \$5-\$20 for individual shows at your favorite spots/times. Get the full schedule and tickets online at savagehenrycomedy.com.



Blue Rhythm Revue. Photo by Mark Larson

Cast your net and catch a spectacular Saturday afternoon in the seaside town of Trinidad, eating fresh local albacore and listening to live music at the **Fisherman's Feast** (formerly the Trinidad Fish Festival). The good eats/great time happens **Saturday, Oct. 8** from **1 to 5 p.m.** at **Trinidad**

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Heads up, Humboldt: While the county's masking mandate has been lifted, Public Health is still strongly recommending masking indoors in public, social distancing and "avoiding crowds and poorly ventilated spaces." COVID-19 is still with us, so be sure to check the protocols at event venues.

6 Thursday

ART

Art Night at the Sanctuary. First Thursday of every month, 4-7 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Create with others freely or work on a guided project. Bring your own supplies or use what's around to collage, paint, draw, make an art book, etc. \$5-\$20 suggested, no one turned away for lack of funds. sanctuaryarcata.org.

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COMEDY

Savage Henry Comedy Festival. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. For three days, 140 or so comedians from all over the country at more than 10 venues and 40 shows for the 11th annual festival. \$65 festival, \$5-\$20 individual shows. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com/comedy-festival. (707) 845-8864.

Comedy Humboldt Open Mic. First Thursday of every month, 8-10 p.m. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Tell your jokes.

Savage Henry Comedy Festival. Noon. Lost Coast Brewery Taproom, 1600 Sunset Drive, Eureka. Featuring: Robert Berry, Mac Ruiz, Josh Barnes and more. Get tickets online. \$10. durant707@gmail.com. facebook.com/events/626680959064985?ref=newsfeed. (707) 845-8864.

DANCE

Humboldt Latin Dance and Music Festival. 7 p.m.-midnight. Redwood Raks World Dance Studio, 824 L St., Arcata. Award-winning instructors teach 20+ workshops in salsa, bachata, Cuban dances and more. Late-night dance parties on Thursday, Friday and Saturday night with a bar and DJs. All access wristbands are available presale online or at the door. \$18. latindancehumboldt@gmail.com. humboldtlatindance.com. (707) 816-2809.

MOVIES

Humboldt Intl' Film Fest Film — 'Fright Night'. 6 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. FILM 260 presents creepy films from the HIFF archive with discussion to follow. Open to all campus and wider community. Doors at 5:30 p.m. Free.

MUSIC

Karaoke (Thirsty Bear Lounge). 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. Come get your sing on. Free. bearrivercasino.com.

McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Lutheran Church of Arcata, 151 E. 16th St. Join if you like to sing or play an instrument. Reading music or prior experience not necessary. Rehearsals are every Thursday evening. ccgreene46@gmail.com. (831) 419-3247.

THEATER

Madsummer. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. A jukebox musical adaptation of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* set in a care home during a pandemic. Masks

are recommended for this 90-minute production without an intermission. \$20, \$15 students/seniors. redwoodcurtain.com.

EVENTS

Drag Queen Bingo with Mo Heart. 7 p.m. Jolly Giant Commons, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Drag Queen Bingo featuring Mo Heart from RuPaul's Drag Race. (707) 826-3928.

Our Lady of Fatima Celebration Weekend: Arraial Game & Silent Auction. 6-11 p.m. Arcata Portuguese Hall, 1285 11th St. Three-day event with Mass and Rosary, food, live music, Arraial white ticket game, silent and live auctions. Get daily event info on Facebook.

Wine Benefit for North Country Fair. 6-9 p.m. Septentrio Tasting Room, 650 Sixth St., Arcata. Silent auction, drinks from Septentrio, food from Nosh food truck, music by Samba da Alegria, Canary and the Vamp and the Redwood Steel Band. Wine sales benefit the North Country Fair. director@north-countryfair.org. facebook.com/events/1184855668735977. (707) 822-5320.

FOOD

Best of the Wurst. 5-7 p.m. The Lodge, 445 Herrick Ave., Eureka. The Rotary Club of Southwest Eureka's annual dinner includes grilled bratwurst, German potato salad and a giant pretzel. Dine-in or take out a boxed dinner delivered to your car. Benefits the Lyme Disease Testing Access Program and other club projects. Tickets online or at pickup site, no cash. \$30. swrotary.org. (707) 845-3459.

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. Freshest local produce, meat, fish, cheese, eggs, bread, flowers and more. Plus music and hot food vendors. Free. info@northcoast-growersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/hendersoncenter.html. (707) 441-9999.

McKinleyville Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. Eureka Natural Foods, McKinleyville, 2165 Central Ave. Farm fresh produce, music and hot food vendors. Trained, ADA certified, service animals only. Market match for CalFresh EBT customers. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/mckinleyville.html. (707) 441-9999.

Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3-4 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Help fight hunger and improve nutrition in the community. Visit the website to be invited to a Zoom orientation. Free. volunteer@foodforpeople.org. foodforpeople.org/volunteering. (707) 445-3166 ext. 310.

GARDEN

Drop-In Volunteer Day. 1-4 p.m. Bayside Park Farm, 930 Old Arcata Road, Arcata. Get a taste of a farmer's work growing vegetables, herbs and flowers. Come prepared for sunshine, cold, wet and working in the dirt. Bring a water bottle, snacks, closed toe shoes, long pants, sleeves and a sun hat. Free. baysideparkfarm@cityofarcata.org. cityofarcata.org/440/Bayside-Park-Farm. (707) 822-8184.

Fight the Mite with Sammy Ramsey. 6-7 p.m. Join Humboldt County Beekeepers association in welcoming the very entertaining "Dr. Buggs" (as seen on YouTube) to discuss the varroa mite. Free. us02web.zoom.us/join/register/tZ0vde2vqjk-oGtbAXZjbaQUoqvtabXBzJ50Y?fbclid=IwAR3xJg4RR6F4jvWd-5DWSSs_bf65BYBKXJB24E9agTmv-d9HzZSpu4ssjL0.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Fortuna Pumpkin Patch & Corn Maze. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Fortuna Pumpkin Patch, 1813 Eel River Drive. Pumpkins priced by the pound. Corn maze. Pigs and goats to pet, too. Special events each weekend through October. Free admission, \$5 corn maze, corn maze free for under 5. info@tableblufffarm.com. TableBluffFarm.com. (707) 890-6699.

Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. Five acres of Jack o' Lanterns and specialty squash. Hay playground, sunflower maze, scarecrow contest. Delight-Full grilled cheese/hot dog stand on weekends. Fall Harvest Fair Oct. 8, 9, 15 and 16. No

pets please. Open everyday in October. info@organicmattersranch.com. (707) 798-FARM(3276).

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. Certified organic pumpkins and squash along with a few other goodies from the farm. Open all October, Wednesday-Sunday, including Halloween day. \$1-\$20, variety and size depending. www.faroutfarmgirl.com.

Scarecrow Building Contest. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. Build a scarecrow for displayed at the pumpkin patch during October. Scarecrows can be installed until Oct. 7 during pumpkin patch hours. Email for entry forms or visit website for flier with QR code for forms. \$10. info@organicmattersranch.com. (707) 798-FARM(3276).

ETC

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents classes focused on strength and mobility (Tuesday), and on relaxation and breath work (Thursday). Contact instructor Ann Constantino for online orientation. \$3-\$5 donation per class, no one is turned away for lack of funds. annconstantino@gmail.com. sohumhealth.org. (707) 923-3921.

7 Friday

ART

Felipe Esparza (Homecoming Event). 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. A product of the streets of East Los Angeles, comedian and actor Felipe Esparza is best known for his raw, real-life and universally relatable comedy.

COMEDY

Savage Henry Comedy Festival. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

DANCE

Humboldt Latin Dance and Music Festival. 5 p.m.-1 a.m. Redwood Raks World Dance Studio, 824 L St., Arcata. See Oct.-6 listing.

Tropiqueno. 8 p.m. Humboldt Brews HumBrews, 856 10th St., Arcata. The annual Humboldt Latin Dance and Music festival partners with this 16-piece orchestra to keep you dancing all night to Caribbean salsa music. Afro-Cuban/Timba Dj B. Suave and a mini salsa dance lesson. Vamos todos a bailar! \$10. (707) 826-2739.

MUSIC

Easton Corbin. 9 p.m. Bear River Recreation Center, 265 Keisner Road, Loleta. Country music. Singer of "A Little More Country Than That." All ages. \$125 VIP, \$59, \$49 advance.

Kenny Bowling. 9-midnight. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Country music. Every Friday.

Money (Pink Floyd Tribute). 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Wave Lounge, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. Quartet recreating the Pink Floyd sound with a special performance of the album *Wish You Were Here* played in its entirety, cover to cover. Free. www.bluelakecasino.com/entertainment/wave.

Open Mic in the Vintage Television Stage. First Friday of every month, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Redwood Retro, 211 G St., Eureka. Redwood Retro's monthly (first Friday) open mic experience. Music, dance, spoken word, comedy and more. (707) 601-9667.

Opera Alley Cats. 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. Professional-level jazz twice a week with cool vibes and great people. Free. thespeakeasybar@yahoo.com. facebook.com/speakeasyeureka. (707) 444-2244.

Pretty Kitty Karaoke. 9:30 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Hosted by Jamie Kohl of Little Red fame. Cash only. 21 and up. Veterans welcome. Shuffleboard. PearceHansen999@outlook.com. facebook.com/profile.

php?id=100082987501904. (206) 348-9335.

THEATER

Arcata's Got Talent. 7-8:30 p.m. Arcata High School, 1720 M St. The Arcata Arts Institute presents dozens of acts, including singing, live music, aerial silks, slam poetry and more. Tickets available in advance online or at the door. Virtual and in-person options. \$8, \$5 students/seniors. tinyurl.com/AAIAGT2.

Madsummer. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

EVENTS

No Tricks, Just Treats Fall Quarter Craze. 5 p.m. Fortuna Veterans Hall/Memorial Building, 1426 Main St. Pulled pork dinner, auction and bidding. No host bar available. Tickets at the FUHS District Office. \$20 dinner and three paddles.

Our Lady of Fatima Celebration Weekend: Arraial Game & Silent Auction. 5:30-11 p.m. Arcata Portuguese Hall, 1285 11th St. See Oct. 6 listing.

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. A week of art, performances and panel discussions advocating and supporting peace and awareness of the perils of nuclear weapons and global climate threats. Event details online. whichwaythewind.org.

FOR KIDS

Kid's Night at the Museum. 5:30-8 p.m. Redwood Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Drop off your 3.5-12 year old for interactive exhibits, science experiments, crafts and games, exploring the planetarium, playing in the water table or jumping into the soft blocks. \$17-\$20. info@discovery-museum.org. discovery-museum.org/classesprograms.html. (707) 443-9694.

FOOD

Garberville Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Fresh produce, eggs, meat, baked goods, nursery plants and starts, oysters, live music on the square, crafts and more.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Help with animal care, weeding, watering, planting and occasional harvest help on Saturday mornings. Volunteers get free produce. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Eighth Grade Carnival. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. Haunted house, carnival games, silent auction and food. Fundraiser for the Ferndale eighth grade class trip. In Belotti Hall. Free. (707) 786-5300.

Fortuna Pumpkin Patch & Corn Maze. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. For-

tuna Pumpkin Patch, 1813 Eel River Drive. See Oct. 6 listing.

Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 6 listing.

Scarecrow Building Contest. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Scream-A-torium. Scream-A-Torium Haunted House, 906 Main St., Fortuna. Eleven days of scare. Details and tickets online. \$10-\$20. screamatoriumhaunt.com.

ETC

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents online classes with short, high intensity cardio workouts. Contact instructor Stephanie Finch by email for a link to the class. Free. sfinch40@gmail.com. sohumhealth.com.

8 Saturday

ART

Family Arts Day. 2 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Families tour the Junque Art show and create junk art monsters out of recycled materials with assistance and guidance from Genevieve Kjesbu, art educator. All materials will be supplied. Free. humboldtarts.org.

COMEDY

Savage Henry Comedy Festival. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

DANCE

The Fall Ball - Drag Show. 9:30 p.m. Gallagher's Irish Pub, 1604 Fourth St., Eureka. Featuring Ultra's drag show. Food

and fun. 21 and up. \$15. gallaghers-irishpub.com.

Humboldt Latin Dance and Music Festival. 10-1 a.m. Redwood Raks World Dance Studio, 824 L St., Arcata. See Oct. 6 listing.

MOVIES

Autumn Run Screening. 8-10 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. The locally made film that's won Best First Time Female Filmmaker at the Toronto International Women Film Festival and Best Feature - Micro Budget under \$250,000 at the International New York Film Festival. \$15. ar@clangprod.com. autumnrunmovie.com. (707) 442-6278.

MUSIC

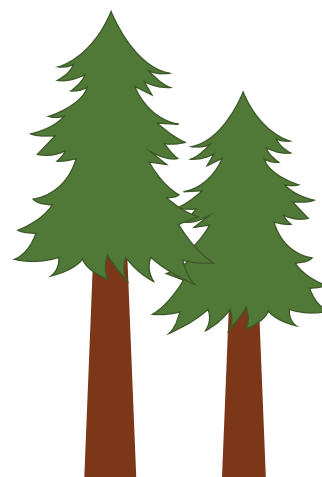
The Cal Poly Humboldt Wind Ensemble & Jazz Orchestra. 8 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, California Polytechnic University Humboldt, Arcata. Five performances by the Wind Ensemble and five tunes by the Jazz Orchestra. Proof of COVID vaccination and booster required. Masks strongly recommended. \$15, \$5 children, free for Cal Poly Humboldt students with ID.

Compost Mountain Boys. 7:30-9 p.m. Fortuna Monday Club, 610 Main St. A rollicking evening of traditional bluegrass music. Please show proof of vaccination and wear masks for the duration of the concert. \$10 at the door, included in 2021-22 or 2023 season ticket. fortunaconcert@live.com. fortunaconcertseries.com.

Live Music at Fieldbrook Winery. 12-5 p.m. Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Road. Wine-tasting, beer, appetizers, wood-fired pizza and live music. Online reservation required for pizza. Sunday. Free admission. fieldbrookwinery.com.

The Lost Dogs. 6-8:30 p.m. Mad River Brewing Company & Tap Room, 101 Taylor Way, Blue Lake. Blues and R&B. Free.

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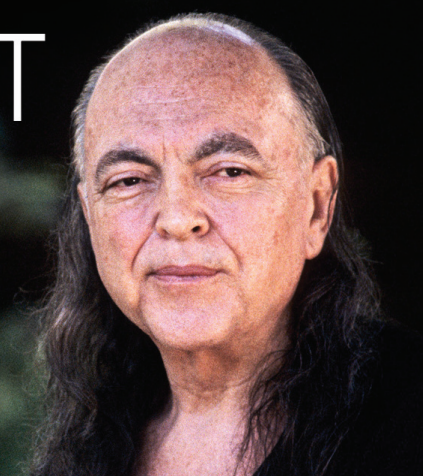
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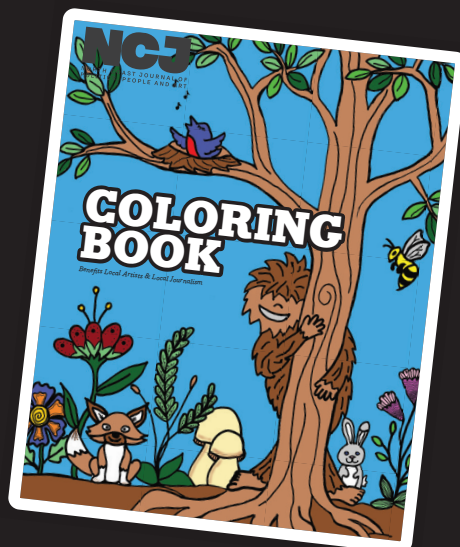
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Money (Pink Floyd Tribute). 8-11 p.m. Humboldt Brews HumBrews, 856 10th St., Arcata. Quartet recreating the Pink Floyd sound with a special performance of the album *Dark Side of the Moon* played in its entirety, cover to cover. \$10.

SPOKEN WORD

Henry Rollins. 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. A bare-it-all recount of Rollins' life since his last time on stage and a few fascinating stories he's picked up along the way. \$35.

THEATER

Madsummer. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

EVENTS

Walk to End Alzheimer's. 10 a.m. Adorni Recreation Center, 1011 Waterfront Drive, Eureka. Walk a 1- or 3-mile course to promote awareness and raise funds, and learn about Alzheimer's, advocacy opportunities, clinical studies enrollment and support programs and services. Registration at 9 a.m. Free. www.ci.eureka.ca.gov/depts/recreation/adorni_center.asp.

Boots & Birkenstocks: NRLT's Annual Celebration. 5-9 p.m. Fortuna River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive. Celebrate the conservation of wild and working lands at the North-coast Regional Land Trust's annual event with dinner, drinks, live music and a live and silent auction. \$100. info@ncrlt.org. givebutter.com/AC2022. (707) 822-2242.

Cal Poly Humboldt Block Party. 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. Enjoy food trucks, fair attractions, musical performances and more. Featuring Portugal the Man, Free Nationals, SunSquabi and others. Free.

Fisherman's Feast. 1-5 p.m. Trinidad Elementary School, 300 Trinity St. Music starts at noon with Blue Rhythm Review, The Critics and The Tide Pools. Dinner will be fresh local albacore with two side dishes plus wine and beer for sale. Benefits the Blessing of the Fleet. \$20.

Our Lady of Fatima Celebration Weekend: Arraial Game & Silent Auction. 7 p.m.-midnight. Arcata Portuguese Hall, 1285 11th St. See Oct. 6 listing.

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synapsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. The North Coast Growers' Association Farmers' Market features local produce, food vendors, meats, plant starts and flowers every week. Market match for CalFresh EBT customers. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. arcataplaza.html. (707) 441-9999.

Sea Goat Farmstand. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Fresh veggies grown on site, local eggs and sourdough bread. Work from local artists and artisans. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Oct. 7 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Fortuna Pumpkin Patch & Corn Maze. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Fortuna Pumpkin Patch, 1813 Eel River Drive. See Oct. 6 listing.

Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 6 listing.

Scream-A-torium. Scream-A-Torium Haunted House, 906 Main St., Fortuna. See Oct. 7 listing.

MEETINGS

Sistahood. 9:30-11 a.m. Virtual World, Online. For women teenagers and older on Zoom, to build healthy relationships and strengthen ties through validation and affirmation. Music from 9:30 a.m., open conversation from 9:45 a.m., meditation with the Sista Prayer Warriors from 10:45 a.m.

OUTDOORS

Audubon Guided Field Trip w/Kathryn Wendel. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring binoculars and meet trip leader Wendel at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) for incredible views of Humboldt Bay, easy-to-walk trails and a great diversity of birdlife. Free. rras.org.

Dune Restoration Work Days. Second Saturday of every month, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Help restore the dune ecosystem of the Humboldt Coastal Nature Center by removing invasive plants. Training in plant identification and removal provided. COVID-19 safety practices in place. Wear masks while gathered and practice social distancing. Free. dante@friendsofthedunes.org. friendsofthedunes.org/dert-days. (707) 444-1397.

Habitat Improvement Team Volunteer Workday. Second Saturday of every month, 9 a.m.-noon. Humboldt Bay National Wildlife Refuge, 1020 Ranch Road, Loleta. Help restore habitat by removing invasive, non-native plants and maintaining native plant areas. Wear long pants, long sleeves and closed-toe shoes. Bring drinking water. Tools, gloves and snack provided. denise_seeger@fws.gov. fws.gov/refuge/humboldt-bay. (707) 733-5406.

Hiking Basics. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Covering what to bring, where to go and gauging length and difficulty level of hiking locations. After a short indoor tutorial, go on a slow and easy hike to the beach. RSVP required. Call or email to sign up. Free. info@friendsofthedunes.org. friendsofthedunes.org/naturenewbies. (707) 444-1397.

9 Sunday

ART

The Art of Regalia Making. 2-4 p.m. Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St. With Shoshoni Gensaw-Hostler, from a traditional Yurok family with some Tolowa and Karuk heritage, and her brother James Gensaw, a master carver and Yurok language teacher. Free, donations appreciated.

COMEDY

Sunday Open-Mic. 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Sign-ups at 9 p.m., show at 9:30 p.m., local favorite features for the 10@10. Comics get 5 minutes. Zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language, 21 and up with ID to drink. Snacks, drinks, friendly atmosphere. Free, donations accepted. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

DANCE

Humboldt Latin Dance and Music Festival. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Redwood Raks World Dance Studio, 824 L St., Arcata. See Oct. 6 listing.

MOVIES

Beetlejuice (1988). 5-7:35 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 5 p.m. Movie starts at 6 p.m. Rated PG. All ages. Parental guidance suggested. Retro-gaming in the lobby. \$8, \$12 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/354662748225036/. (707) 613-3030.

Wild & Scenic Film Festival 2022. 6-9 p.m. The Inn at 2nd & C, 139 Second St., Eureka. This curated, Best of the Fest presentation features nine independent films in-person at 6 p.m. and online at 7 p.m. Ticket and event info online.

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MUSIC

Live Music at Fieldbrook Winery. 12-5 p.m. Fieldbrook Winery, 4241 Fieldbrook Road. See Oct. 8 listing.

Sunday Jazz Jams. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Every Sunday. Jazz players, all ages, all levels. Bring your ax and play some Real Book tunes. Everybody who wants to play, plays. Free. blondiesfoodanddrink@gmail.com. blondiesfoodanddrink.com. (707) 822-3453.

THEATER

Madsummer. 2 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

EVENTS

The Mad Pour. 12-4 p.m. Mad River Brewing Company & Tap Room, 101 Taylor Way, Blue Lake. Support the water that makes your beer with tastings from local brewers. Live music from Band of Brothers. Advance tickets at Humboldt Beer Works, Wildberries Marketplace, the Logger Bar or Mad River Brewery Taproom. \$20. fb.me/e/9XlJPsuG2.

Our Lady of Fatima Celebration Weekend: Arrial Game & Silent Auction. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Arcata Portuguese Hall, 1285 11th St. See Oct. 6 listing.

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

FOOD

Brunch at Arcata Veterans Hall. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Arcata Veterans Hall, 1425 J St. Eggs, pancakes, sausage (vegan options included), bacon, hash browns and a monthly special. Complimentary coffee provided by Kinetic Koffee. friendsoftheveteranshall@gmail.com. fb.me/e/2S93eygCQ.

Food Not Bombs. 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

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Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 6 listing.

OUTDOORS

Audubon Guided Field Trip w/Ralph Butcher. 9 a.m.-noon. Humboldt Bay National Wildlife Refuge, 1020 Ranch Road, Loleta. Meet Ralph Bucher at the Visitor Center for this special trip celebrating National Wildlife Refuge Week. The 4-mile loop walk is on a wide, gravel-packed, and easily accessible trail. The levee will be open for the day and provides access to the north end of the refuge. Free. thebook@reninet.com. rras.org.

10 Monday

ART

Art + Film Dept Faculty & Staff Exhibition. Reese Bullen Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. See the professional work and diverse talents of instructor and staff artists through a wide spectrum of forms, themes and styles. art.humboldt.edu/galleries.

Art Show - Neil Gilchrist, Photography. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. An exhibit of images photographed over the past year during the artist's morning walks in the Arcata Marsh.

EVENTS

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St.,

Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

FOOD

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Market, 6685 Avenue of the Giants. Fresh produce, herbs and teas, eggs, plants and more. Market match for CalFresh EBT customers. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. (707) 441-9999.

Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 6 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 6 listing.

ETC

Ham Radio Technician License Class. 7-9 p.m. Humboldt Bay Fire Department, 3030 L St., Eureka. The Humboldt Amateur Radio Club is offering a class to prepare students for the Amateur Radio Technician Class license examination. This class will be a hybrid class, meeting via Zoom and in person at the Humboldt Bay Fire Training Room. Free.

Homesharing Info Session. 9:30-10 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m. This informational Zoom session will go over the steps and safeguards of Area 1 Agency on Aging's matching process and the different types of homeshare partnerships. Email for the link. Free. homeshare@alaa.org. alaa.org/homesharing. (707) 442-3763.

Humboldt Bounsklee League. 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Brews, 856 10th St., Arcata. Weekly league nights. Purchase of any wood bounsklee from Humbrews or the website includes one-month family membership for future events. All ages. Free. bounsklee@gmail.com. bounsklee.fun. (707) 601-9492.

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 7 listing.

11 Tuesday

MOVIES

The Territory (2022) Benefit Screening. 7-8:30 p.m. The Miniplex, 900 Samoa Blvd., Arcata. Sundance award-winning documentary about the Indigenous Uru-eu-wau-wau people's fight against encroaching deforestation by farmers and illegal settlers in the Brazilian Amazon. \$10. info@miniplexevents.com. miniplex.ticketleap.com/the-territory/. (707) 630-5000.

MUSIC

Opera Alley Cats. 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

EVENTS

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

FOOD

Food for People's Free Produce Market - Garberville. 10:30 a.m.-noon. Garberville Presbyterian Church, 437 Maple Lane. Drive-thru event. For more information, go to www.foodforpeople.org or call (707) 445-3166.

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Fortuna Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. 10th and Main streets, Fortuna. Locally grown fruits, veggies and garden plants, plus arts and crafts, music and hot food vendors. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/fortuna.html. (707) 441-9999.

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Old Town Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Old Town, F Street between First and Third streets, Eureka. Fresh local produce, eggs, bread, specialty sourdough donuts and more. Plus music and hot food vendors. Market match for CalFresh EBT customers. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/oldtown.html. (707) 441-9999.

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HOLIDAY EVENTS

Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Organic Matters Ranch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

Pumpkin Patch. 12-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farm Girl, Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 6 listing.

MEETINGS

Freedom Matters. Second Tuesday of every month, 7 p.m. Fortuna River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive. Meets every second Tuesday of the month.

Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament. 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. (707) 599-4605.

ETC

Disability Peer Advocate Group. Second Tuesday of every month, 3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Peer advocates supporting each other and furthering the disability cause. Email for the Zoom link. alissa@tilinet.org.

English Express: An English Language Class for Adults. Virtual World, Online. Build English language confidence in ongoing online and in-person classes. All levels and first languages welcome. Join anytime. Pre-registration not required. Free. englishexpressempowered.com. (707) 443-5021.

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 6 listing.

12 Wednesday

ART

Figure Drawing. 6-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. \$5. blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

BOOKS

On the Same Page Book Club. 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Online book club that meets on the first Wednesday of the month on Zoom. Sign up using the Google form at forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgJKj7.

COMEDY

Open Mikey. 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. The longest running comedy open-mic in Humboldt County. Sign-ups at 9 p.m. Show at 9:30 p.m. Comics get 5-minute sets. Snacks, drinks, friendly atmosphere, zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language. Free, donations accepted. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

MUSIC

Bayside Ballads and Blues. 6-8 p.m. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Wednesday.

EVENTS

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Oct. 7 listing.

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13 Thursday

MUSIC

Ings, Adriana McCassim, The Cowtown Serenaders. 7:30-10 p.m. Outer Space Arcata, 834 H Street. Ings, lullaby rock from L.A.; Adriana McCassim, indie folk-rock from L.A.; The Cowtown Serenaders, mellow folk-rock from Humboldt. All ages. Safer space. Sober space. Masks required. \$5-\$20 sliding scale. outerspacearcata@gmail.com. fb.me/e/1ZcbkqDj9.

Karaoke (Thirsty Bear Lounge). 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. See Oct. 6 listing.

McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Lutheran Church of Arcata, 151 E. 16th St. See Oct. 6 listing.

THEATER

Macabre Cabaret. 8 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Back from the Virtual Land of the Dead, the Dell'Arte Company presents a raucous night filled with Eldritch horrors, comedy of the occult, grotesque acts, witchy wonders and live music. Ages 18 and up. \$20, \$15 seniors/students (use coupon: Spooky22). www.dellarte.com.

EVENTS

Which Way the Wind Festival. Synopsis, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 7 listing.

FOOD

ERFSA Luncheon. Noon. Plaza View Room, Eighth and H streets, Arcata. ERFSA presenters, Melinda McLarin, Humboldt County Supervising Public Health Nurse, talks about COVID-19 vaccines, and Kaitlin Reed, Assistant Professor of Native American Studies discusses her forthcoming book, *From Gold Rush to Green Rush*. Lunch is available for purchase or to-go.

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. See Oct. 6 listing.

McKinleyville Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. Eureka Natural Foods, McKinleyville, 2165 Central Ave. See Oct. 6 listing.

Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3-4 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 6 listing.

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NCJ SCREENS

Hollywood, Romance

Blonde and Bros

By John J. Bennett

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BLONDE. Marilyn Monroe (néé Norma Jean Mortensen) has been dead now 60 years; nearly twice as long as she lived and a dozen times longer than the period of her working life. Her image, more than her acting work, which is truly formidable, sustains her as one of the undeniable icons of 20th century culture. And now a movie ostensibly about her — to me much more focused on the refractory nature of fame, identity under the spotlight, misogyny and the mechanized commodification of personhood — and based on a fictionalized quasi-autobiography published over two decades ago by Joyce Carol Oates (a “humorless broom,” as one of my colleagues would have it). Manohla Dargis, in her *New York Times* review, of which I have admittedly only read excerpts forwarded by the aforementioned colleague, accuses writer/director Andrew Dominik (*The Assassination of Jesse James by the Coward Robert Ford*, 2007; *Killing Them Softly*, 2012) of necrophilia and lechery, among other crimes. Planned Parenthood (an organization I will always support) has decried the movie's depiction of abortion. *Blonde* has quickly become perhaps the most contentious work of commercial art of the year. One wonders why.

Blonde, at least as Dominik has rendered it for the screen (Oates' ponderous volume looms from my shelf, mocking me, unread) is indeed coarse, invasive and sometimes uncomfortably sexualized. In being so, it plays against the manufactured vision of Monroe (herself a false icon, even in her own time, a point to which the movie frequently returns), which lives on in the popular consciousness as just sexy enough to be non-threatening, a benign bombshell that dehumanizes gender identity. That lasting image, semi-satirized by Warhol mere years after the star's death, has precious little to do with the life lived behind the bleach and the smile; within that dichotomy, I think, lies the space Dominik and star Ana de Armas (transformed, devastating) explore, with nuance and force of will.

Structurally, *Blonde* hews to something like conventional biopic narrative — we

begin at the beginning, with

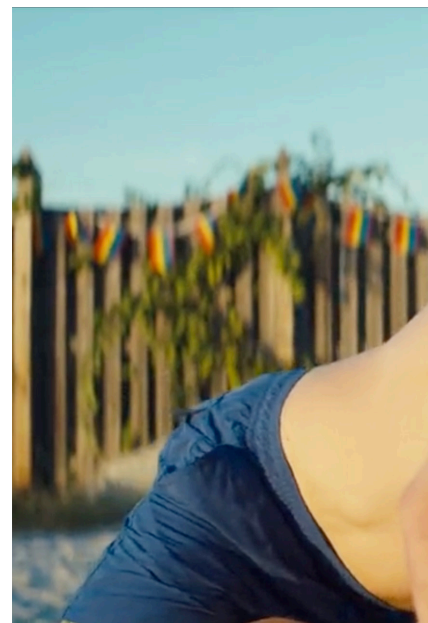
Norma Jean as a child (Lily Fisher), and proceed chronologically through her brief and difficult life — therein may lie the fundamental conflict. Because the movie departs almost immediately from any notion of conventionality and never pretends to tell anything like a straight story. While we become party to some of the star's thoughts, we experience them as visions, ephemera, echoed and imagined voices. The result is, as I believe Dominik has suggested, a veritable avalanche of sound and image that coheres into a gorgeously crafted but deeply discomfiting kaleidoscopic depiction of life lived at or beyond the limits of control.

The problem, it seems, is that much of the audience would prefer their icons left alone, or revered simply and without comment, even if they do not have the faintest notion about the truth of the idol's inner life.

I would contend that *Blonde* doesn't demean; in fact it does quite the opposite. By moving the camera back a step, putting it squarely on the shoulders of the male gaze, it examines, with sophistication the pressures of patriarchy and commerce, the fragility of the mind and the too-often ignored fact that celebrity does not, in itself, bestow health, stability or freedom.

Narratively, in performance and in technical execution, *Blonde* is a ferociously ambitious, challenging, often unpleasant work. Often objectively beautiful, finely wrought and composed, it has within it simultaneously hideous things, truths and lies and fevered imaginings explored but often unexplained. NC17. 206M. NETFLIX.

BROS. A simpler proposition, but maybe equally challenging for simple, provincial and heteronormative audiences: a romantic comedy about a couple of dudes falling in love, but also about the fact that gay relationships are different, not only from Wonder Bread hetero ones, but from each other and the whole infinite spec-





The gays after ruining marriage for Marjorie Taylor Greene. *Bros*

trum of human interaction.

Bobby (Billy Eichner, one of the funniest humans to cross the transom of celebrity), an author, podcaster and noted public figure, has never found love. Forty years old and professionally successful (he has just landed a position as executive director of groundbreaking LGBTQ+ museum), he has all but accepted the notion that, despite his frustrations with a Grindr-based sex life, he may be single for the rest of his life. Enter Aaron (Luke McFarlane), an impossibly hot dude accused in asides of being boring. He is, in fact, not boring at all. A probate lawyer with dreams of making little chocolates for the world, he contains multitudes and might be just the person to get Bobby out of his own head, if Bobby can get out of his own head.

Co-written by Eichner and director Nicholas Stoller (*Neighbors*, 2014), *Bros* sets out to do the seemingly impossible in revivifying the romantic comedy genre. Not only does it succeed in so doing, it adds commentary and dimensionality to the tropes to create something decidedly new, sexy, refreshing and hilarious. R. 115M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK, MINOR. ●

John J. Bennett (he/him) is a movie nerd who loves a good car chase.

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AVATAR 3D (2009). It's like the blue cat people with boobs are right there with you. PG13. 301M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

BARBARIAN. AirBnB nightmare with Georgina Campbell, Bill Skarsgård and Justin Long. R 102M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA,

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DC LEAGUE OF SUPER-PETS. Dwayne Johnson, Kevin Hart and Kate McKinnon voice superheroes' best friends. PG. 106M. FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.

DON'T WORRY DARLING. A 1950s utopian community goes awry. Starring Florence Pugh, Olivia Wilde and Harry Styles. Pick your fighter. R. 123M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.

HALLOWEEN (1978). Jamie Lee Curtis dodges crazed killer Michael Myers in the original. R. 91M. MINOR.

LYLE, LYLE, CROCODILE. Live action/CG animation story of a croc living in New York City but definitely not lurking the sewers because that is an outdated stereotype. With Constance Wu and Javier Bardem. PG. 106M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.

MINIONS: THE RISE OF GRU. Animated prequel with the chaotic little hench-folk. PG. 90M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

SEE HOW THEY RUN. Murder and mystery hold up the filming of a movie in 1950s London in this comedy starring Sam Rockwell and Pearl Chanda. PG13. 98M. BROADWAY.

SMILE. A shrink with baggage starts seeing people with scary grins everywhere and suddenly my bitchface doesn't seem so bad, does it, people? Starring Sosie Bacon. R. 115M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.

THE WOMAN KING. Viola Davis flexes on us all as general of the 19th century all-female army of West African kingdom of Dahomey. With Thuso Mbedu, Lashana Lynch and John Boyega. PG13. 134M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

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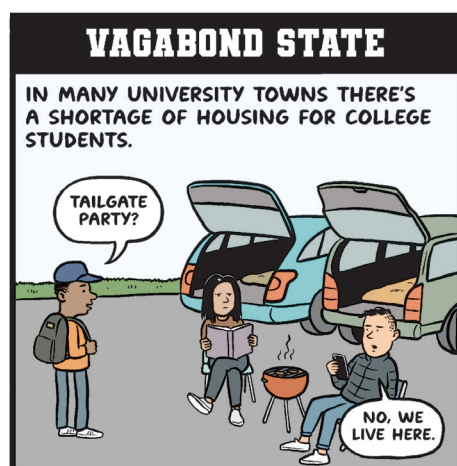
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Corky Cornwell

1943 - 2022

Corky Cornwell, a pillar in our community has passed away at the age of 79, will be remembered forever. He battled cancer for over 6 years and never lost the twinkle in his eyes or his spirit.

Corky was born at St. Joseph's Hospital in 1943 to parents Ray Cornwell and Myrtle Rose Moore. In his younger years he was raised in Coquille, Oregon. A fellow first grader called him "Porky". When little Ralph Cornwell turned around to give the kid a knuckle sandwich the bully cried out, "Corky! I called you Corky"! Decades later, the legacy of the bully who tried pick a fight, instead created a name that became one of the best known on the North Coast.

He was the typical All-American boy of the time, with his hair greased back to form the perfect DA, white t-shirt with one sleeve rolled up to hold his pack of smokes, and a pair of cuffed jeans. Corky loved speeding around town, where local law enforcement took extraordinarily joy in repeatedly pulling him over and making Corky empty everything in the trunk of his car time and time again!

After Roselie died in 1978 of cancer, Corky purchased 14 acres on the Trinity River outside of Willow Creek where he built a beautiful A-frame. He would spend countless hours on his backhoe clearing the property, working in his shop, splitting firewood, fishing, and driving his 1943 Jeep Willy. Corky and friends would watch the annual speed boat races from his very own beach. His most memorable times at "his little piece of heaven" was spent with his grandsons, Ray, and Brandon.

Corky worked his way up the corporate ladder with Louisiana Pacific. From green chain, to log truck driver, to office staff, to Raw Materials Manager, to Raw Materials Manager for LP West Coast Division.

Corky wielded an enormous influence upon truck routes and which trucking companies

would be awarded LP contracts. He was a force to be reckoned with in the Chip/Trucking industry. Controlling the sheer volume of chips made him a key player in the price of chips and trucking.

Others in the industry, up and down the coast of Washington, Oregon and California paid close attention to what Corky said. What Corky said had an impact on their cost and profits.

Quite an accomplishment for a kid from Orick!

In later years, Corky and his best friend, Rory Hanson, always attended the Ducks Unlimited dinner. It was a tradition that they would get a gift for the other. At the 1993 DU dinner, Rory was the highest bidder for the Motorola flip cell phone and gave it to Corky.

The very next week, Corky takes the cell phone to NorCal Cellular. At the end of the day, Corky walks out buying the cell phone business. "Cell phones was an area that I had some interest, thinking it could turn into a lucrative future." Corky said at the time, not fully anticipating how widely used they would become. "It just went nuts"!

Months later after purchasing the business, Corky walked into Times Printing for business cards and fell in love immediately with Annie. Upon leaving the business, Corky called the owner, his friend Lane Strobe, and asked if the girl at the desk was available. That was the beginning of their 30-year relationship. Corky proposed to Annie at the Ingomar Christmas Party up in the cupola of the Carson Mansion overlooking the beautiful Christmas lights in Eureka. Corky chose that location because if Annie ever became upset with him, he would drive her to the Carson Mansion, point up at the proposal sight and tell Annie he loved her. A year later they were married at Disney World.

Corky renamed the business Redwood Coast Cellular and decided to venture into advertising. He was a consummate and savvy businessman. His first commercials were informative and traditional. His wife, Annie, urged Corky to market his "catchy" name with the business, and use his huge, outgoing personality for advertisement on TV and radio. The business henceforth became known as CORKY CORNWELL of REDWOOD COAST CELLULAR! They wrote many creative, zany scripts! Corky produced and starred in his own unforgettable and boisterous commercials. He was a natural. They both agree the Mad Scientist was their favorite. The rest is history!

The business grew from 64 customers and one store to over 12,300 customers with six stores over a 20-year period retiring in 2014.

After several great trips overseas, they decided to concentrate traveling in the United States,

often not knowing their destination in their motorhome! They always towed their 1943 Jeep Willy. It led to many adventures and a lot of fun. They enjoyed many trips with the Elk's Redwood Roamers.

Corky and Annie enjoyed their beautiful home and hanging out at their property. He loved going over to his shop/garage/office to work on anything he could get his hands on. Corky was quite a collector and loved estate sales, antique stores, and thrift shops.

Corky was diagnosed with cancer in June of 2016 in Chicago while visiting Annie's family. He was admitted to Northwestern Medical Hospital and given 30 days to live. Corky immediately went into a clinical study that was successful for five years. Of course, Corky would break records for his longevity on the radioembolization study, enjoying many more years of quality life. The family gives their thanks to the outstanding doctors and staff at NWMH.

In August 2021, Corky started another clinical trial, Immunotherapy, at UCSFMH. The family expresses their heartfelt feelings to Dr. Kelly, Dr. Baek and the dedicated staff at the Medical Center for their countless hours of care. The family is grateful to Monica Nansel for her priceless role in being Corky's sidekick for several years.

Corky is survived by his wife, Annie, and her children: Monty Sauder (Maggie), Amanda McKinzie, Katy Ritchey (Tim) and grandchildren Piper, Mason, Tanner, Chase, Thomas, and Jenna; Daughter Rose-Ann Freixas (Juaquin), and children Antonio, Roselie, Damian, Dominick, and Cora; Daughter in law, Patricia Cornwell, grandchildren: Ray, Brandon, Emily, Gale, Caleb, and 5 great grandchildren. Corky was preceeded in death by his parents, his first wife Roselie and brother, Butch.

A quiet celebration was held on September 11th, Corky and Annie's 28th Wedding Anniversary.

Corky was an enormous personality. Wherever he went, he was always seen, always heard. The smiles he brought to the faces of those who knew him were countless, and the memories he made were innumerable. Corky approached everything with enthusiasm, good cheer, and a sense of community. Even if you met him just one time, you would remember him. He was not just the biggest personality around; Corky was larger than life.

Living life and working hard made him the person he became. He truly was a self-made man, and one of the hardest workers you would ever meet.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF James Charles Hamilton CASE NO. PR2200274

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of James Charles Hamilton A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Ruth Berg In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Ruth Berg be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on November 10, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of Cali-

fornia, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/> IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

NOTICE OF CURRENT PROPERTY TAXES DUE

I, Amy Christensen, Interim-Humboldt County Tax Collector, hereby announce that regular secured tax bills will be mailed on or before October 10th, 2022, to all property owners, at the addresses shown on the tax roll. If you own property in Humboldt County, and do not receive a tax bill by October 25th 2022, contact the tax collector's office, at 825 5th Street, Room 125 Eureka, CA 95501 or call 707-441-3020.

Failure to receive a tax bill does not relieve the taxpayer of the responsibility to make timely payments.

The **FIRST INSTALLMENT** is due and payable on November 1, 2022, and will become delinquent if not paid by 5:00 p.m., or the close of business, whichever is later, on December 12, 2022; thereafter a 10% penalty will be added.

The **SECOND INSTALLMENT** is due on February 1, 2023, and will become delinquent if not paid by 5:00 p.m., or the close of business, whichever is later, on April 10, 2023; thereafter a 10% penalty will be added plus the cost to prepare the delinquent tax records and to give notice of delinquency.

Both installments may be paid when the first installment is due.

Payments may be made by electronic funds transfer at www.humboldt.gov.org/tax or by mail to Humboldt County Tax Collector (or HCTC) 825 5th Street Room 125, Eureka, CA 95501.

Mailed payments must be **POSTMARKED BY THE DELINQUENT DATE** to avoid late penalties. Payments also may be made in person at the County Tax Collector's office 825 5th Street Room 125, Eureka, CA 95501 between the hours of 8:30am -noon and 1pm- 5pm, Monday through Friday, holidays excepted.

I certify (or declare), under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Humboldt County Tax Collector State of California

Executed at Eureka, Humboldt County, California, on September 30th, 2022, Published in North Coast Journal on October 6th & 13th, 2022.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:
Ruth Berg
35434 Snead Street
Beaumont, CA 92223
(909) 227-5201
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-396)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Kenneth Carpenter CASE NO. PR2200270

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Kenneth Carpenter A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Leslie Matteis In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Leslie Matteis be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on October 13, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/> IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person

interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq. Law Office of Hjerpe & Godinho, LLP 350 E Street, 1st Floor Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 442-7262 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-373)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Lester C. Drew AKA Lester Claude Drew CASE NO. PR2200284

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Lester C. Drew AKA Lester Claude Drew A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Rebecca Smith In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Rebecca Smith be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on October 27, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/> IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed

by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq. Law Office of Hjerpe & Godinho, LLP 350 E Street, 1st Floor Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 442-7262 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-397)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Mary Elaine Nelson aka Mary E. Nelson CASE NO. PR2200280

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Mary Elaine Nelson aka Mary E. Nelson A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Nanette C. Jones In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Nanette C. Jones be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on October 20, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825

Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/> IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Carlton D. Floyd Floyd Law Firm 819 Seventh Street Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 445-9754 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-389)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Patricia Ann Bagley CASE NO. PR2200276

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Patricia Ann Bagley A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Kenneth D. Brink In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Kenneth D. Brink be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important

actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on October 6, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6. For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/> IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Daniel E. Cooper Morrison, Morrison & Cooper 611 I Street, Suite A Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 443-8011 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-386)

SUMMONS (Citation Judicial) CASE NUMBER: FIRST AMENDED CV2100837

NOTICE TO Defendant: Eliah Dinur-Loranger and Candice Morris and Does 1 to 10 You are being sued by Plaintiff: Statewide Collection, Inc.
Notice: You have been sued. The court may decide against you without you being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below. You have 30 calendar days after this Summons and legal papers are

served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for free waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/self-help), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

The name and address of the court is: Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt 825 Fifth Street Eureka, CA 95501 The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: Troy Wilkinson 152064 Law Office of Troy Wilkinson PO Box 993966 (530) 342-6142

9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00534
The following person is doing Business as **Humco Cleaning**

Humboldt 1026 Main St. Apt. 1 Fortuna, CA 95540 1026 Main St. Apt. 1 Fortuna, CA 95540

Kylee A Guerrero 1026 Main St. Apt. 1 Fortuna, CA 95540

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Kylee Guerrero, Owner This August 17, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-364)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00540
The following person is doing Business as **Shaw House Inn**

Humboldt 703 Main Street Ferndale, CA 95536 PO Box 1369 Ferndale, CA 95536

Paula D Bigley 703 Main Street Ferndale, CA 95536

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Paula Bigley, Owner This August 19, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/8, 9/15, 9/22, 9/29 (22-355)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00543
The following person is doing Business as **SEGI Consulting**

Humboldt 2006 Woody Road McKinleyville, CA 95519

Craig S Christensen 2006 Woody Road McKinleyville, CA 95519

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/s/ Craig S Christensen, Owner This August 22, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-369)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00553
The following person is doing Business as **Humboldt Pack Tracks**

Humboldt 1702 West Ave. Eureka, CA 95501

Jazzmyn M Zamora 1702 West Ave. Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Jazzmyn Zamora, Owner/Operator This August 25, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-380)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00554
The following person is doing Business as **Moonstone Beach Trinidad**

Humboldt 100 Moonstone Beach Road Trinidad, CA 95570 PO Box 96 Trinidad, CA 95570

Alder Design & Development LLC CA 202250716516 719 Driver Rd. Trinidad, CA 95570

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Stacie Marshall, Manager This August 26, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-381)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00565
The following person is doing Business as **Deni Vision**

Humboldt 2460 Eye St. Arcata, CA 95521

Denise Tomkinson 2460 Eye St. Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Denise Tomkinson, Owner This August 30, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-382)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00566
The following person is doing Business as **Fortuna Cabinets and More**

Humboldt 175 Ogle Ave Rio Dell, CA 95562

Randy Maynard 175 Ogle Ave Rio Dell, CA 95562

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Randy Maynard, Owner Operator

This August 30, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by wc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-362)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00575
The following person is doing Business as **ReProp Financial**

Humboldt 735 4th St Eureka, CA 95501

ReProp Investments, Inc California C0894115 735 4th St Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Dane Valadao, COO, ReProp Investments, Inc. This September 6, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-361)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00576
The following person is doing Business as **High Standard Accounting**

Humboldt 788 Shively Flat Road Scotia, CA 95565 PO Box 248 Scotia, CA 95565

Hilary J Schwartz 788 Shively Flat Road Scotia, CA 95565

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Hilary J Schwartz, Owner This September 06, 2022 KELLY E. SANDERS by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-363)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00578
The following person is doing Business as **SHOP**

Humboldt 939 8 th St Arcata, CA 95519

ZOEE WHITE LLC ZOEE WHITE LLC CA 939 8 th St Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Zoe White, CEO
This September 7, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27 (22-399)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00582
The following person is doing Business as
The Patron Kitchen

Humboldt
70 B Wildwood
Rio Dell, CA 95562
3010 Kenmar Rd.
Fortuna, CA 95540

Gerardo L. Gonzalez-o
3010 Kenmar Rd.
Fortuna, CA 95540
Leticia Gonzalez-o
3010 Kenmar Rd.
Fortuna, CA 95540

The business is conducted by a Married Couple. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Gerardo Gonzalez-o, Owner
This Sept. 12, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-368)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00596
The following person is doing Business as
EA Knox Design/Build

Humboldt
1650 12th Street
Arcata, CA 95521

Ethan A Knox
1650 12th Street
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Ethan Knox, Owner, Contractor
This September 16, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-376)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00597
The following person is doing Business as
Touch of Love and Healing

Humboldt
1890 Heartwood Drive
McKinleyville, CA 95519

Brook E Madison
1890 Heartwood Drive
McKinleyville, CA 95519

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/s Brook E. Madison, Owner
This September 16, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-377)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00598
The following person is doing Business as
Busy Baby Academy

Humboldt
900 Hodgson St.
Eureka, CA 95503
3313 M St.
Eureka, CA 95503

Reily A Hall
3313 M St.
Eureka, CA 95503

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(\$1,000).
/s Reily Hall, Owner
This September 20, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-383)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00600
The following person is doing Business as
Creekside Produce

Humboldt
6821 Myrtle Ave.
Eureka, CA 95503
1414 Beverly Dr.
Arcata, CA 95521

Luke Smetana
1414 Beverly Dr.
Arcata, CA 95521

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/s Luke Smetana, Owner
This September 20, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-384)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00601
The following person is doing Business as
Vintage Stitch by Jenae

Humboldt
4055 Hensley Road
McKinleyville, CA 95519

Jenae G Alves
4055 Hensley Road
McKinleyville, CA 95519

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/s Jenae G. Alves, Owner
This September 20, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27 (22-394)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00603
The following person is doing Business as
Phoenix Ceramic and Fire Supply

Humboldt
824 L St., Ste. 10
Arcata, CA 95521

Lily Haas
3559 Spear Ave.
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Lily Haas, Business Owner
This September 20, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-385)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00622
The following person is doing Business as
FARMOR CIGARS

Humboldt
193 Dana Lane
Eureka, CA 95503

Mikkelsen and Sons, LLC
CA 202251919674
193 Dana Lane
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on August 2nd, 2022. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s John Mikkelsen, Managing Member
This September 30, 2022
KELLY E. SANDERS
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27 (22-395)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Adam Dean Shilts CASE NO. CV2201281 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501 PETITION OF: Adam Dean Shilts for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Adam

Dean Shilts to Proposed Name Adam Dean Schild
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

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Date: October 21, 2022
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4
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SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: Sept. 1, 2022
Filed: Sept. 1, 2022
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

9/15, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6 (22-365)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Janet Renee Obrien CASE NO. CV2201343
SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501
PETITION OF:
Janet Renee OBrien
for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name
Janet Renee OBrien
to Proposed Name
Janet Renee Dudal

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OF CALIFORNIA,

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: Sept. 13, 2022
Filed: Sept. 13, 2022
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13 (22-375)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Jessica Deva Huntzinger CASE NO. CV2201242 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501 PETITION OF: Jessica Deva Huntzinger for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Jessica Deva Huntzinger to Proposed Name Jessica Deva Davisson

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF HEARING
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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: September 22, 2022
Filed: September 22, 2022
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27 (22-390)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Noelle Christine Salsbery CASE NO. CV2201361 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501 PETITION OF: Noelle Christine Salsbery for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Noelle Christine Salsbery to Proposed Name Noelle Christine Donahue

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard

and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
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825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: September 13, 2022
Filed: September 13, 2022
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27 (22-391)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Richard Conrad Shilts CASE NO. CV2201282 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501 PETITION OF: Richard Conrad Shilts for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Richard Conrad Shilts to Proposed Name Richard Conrad Schild

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EUREKA, CA 95501
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Judge of the Superior Court

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME Sophia McMillin CASE NO. CV22001337 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501 PETITION OF: Sophia McMillin for a decree changing names as follows: Present name Sophia McMillin to Proposed Name Sophia Machado

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Judge of the Superior Court

9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20 (22-387)



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NCJ FIELD NOTES

The Tuluwat Island Massacre in its Time

By Barry Evans

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Archaeologists have determined that Wiyot people occupied Indian Island for at least 1,000 years — possibly much longer — including the village of Tuluwat, one of the several locations where the tribe held annual World Renewal ceremonies. During one of these ceremonies, the night of Feb. 26, 1860, Tuluwat was one of about a dozen Wiyot sites attacked simultaneously in coordinated raids. Several hundred Native people (it's hard to obtain an accurate count), mostly women and children, were killed while the men were away replenishing their food supplies. They were massacred by white settlers who had settled in the area since 1850 as part of the California Gold Rush. There were few survivors. Contemporary accounts in local media, and by the man who bought the island, show wildly different views ranging from incitement to horror.

A day before the massacre, an editorial in the *Humboldt Times* dated Feb. 25, 1860, now reads at minimum as harsh racism, or as a call to violence:

"The settlers must be protected and the Indians and not the white must yield ground ... keep this company [of Dragoons, stationed at Fort Humboldt] in the field until the redskins are driven from our county."

Before Bret Harte became a famous short story writer, focusing particularly on the Alaskan gold rush, his many occupations included that of the assistant editor of the *Northern Californian*, published in Arcata. Three days after the massacre on Feb. 29, 1860, Harte published his graphic eyewitness account of the aftermath. Newspapers in San Francisco and New York picked up the story, in which he wrote:

"[A] more shocking and revolting spectacle was never exhibited to the eyes of a Christian and civilized people. Old women, wrinkled and decrepit, lay weltering in blood, their brains dashed out and dabbled with their long gray hair. Infants scarce a span long, with their faces cloven with hatchets and their bodies ghastly

with wounds."

When the *Humboldt Times* finally got around to reporting the story on March 3, 1860, nearly a week after the massacre,

it did so in neutral terms, with no hint of regret for its militant editorial:

"The rancheria on Indian Island was attacked on Saturday night by an unknown party of men ... news reached town that the ranges on South Beach [South Spit] had also been attacked ... a considerable number of Indians on Eel River were killed at the same time The whole number killed at the different places on Saturday night, cannot fall far below a hundred and fifty, including bucks, squaws and children."

Within a month, the genocidal editorial slant of the *Humboldt Times* was in full view, as seen in this cold-blooded opinion piece, published March 17, 1860:

"For the past four years we have advocated two — and only two — alternatives for ridding our county of Indians; either remove them to some reservation or kill them."

Robert Gunther emigrated from Germany to the U.S. in 1852 and arrived in Eureka, at 27, in 1858. He bought the island just before that terrible night of Feb. 26, 1860. Wouldn't he have known about, and perhaps encouraged, the massacre? In fact, I've seen nothing linking his name to those of the perpetrators and, in a talk many years later, he gave his version of the events:

"Early in 1860, I learned that Indian Island was for sale. I bought [Captain Moore's] 80 acres on Washington's birthday, and three days later, the Indian massacre occurred.... Every year, they had a festival which lasted a week. The festival was in full blast when I bought the island ... I occupied a room then ... at the foot of K Street. Sunday morning, I was awakened by a noise ... everything was still for an



This National Historic Landmark plaque on Woodley Island, with Tuluwat Island (formerly Indian Island) in the background, merely refers to "Indian/Gunther Island, Site 67." No mention is made of the 1860 massacre. Photo by Barry Evans

instant, and then I heard two heavy blows or shots, in the direction of Indian Island and then all was still again.... It was never publicly known who did the killing, yet secretly, the parties were pointed out. Nor was their number definitely known, some claimed there were six while others claimed seven ... we planned to bring the parties to justice. Capt. Moore was the Justice of the Peace. We soon found that we had better keep our mouths shut."

Unsurprisingly, local papers at the time didn't record Wiyot response.

On Oct. 21, 2019, the city of Eureka deeded all its remaining land on the 280-acre island to the Wiyot people, having already deeded 40 acres in 2004, becoming the first local municipality in the U.S. to take such a step.

Marnie Atkins, Da gou rou louwi' Cultural Center Manager for the Wiyot Tribe says the significance goes beyond the tragic history: "Often people think that Tuluwat is important or sacred to us because of the massacre that happened there [in 1860]. However, before that, the island was sacred because it is our creation place. I try to let folks know this because I think it is important that they understand the deep connection we have with the island and Wigi [Humboldt Bay] with the hope they can relate to the sacredness of the island to Wiyot people."

For more details from a historian's perspective, refer to Jerry Rohde's "Genocide and Extortion" (Feb. 25, 2010). ●

Barry Evans (he/him, barryevans9@yahoo.com) regularly paddles his kayak up "Indian Island Slough," a refuge for birds and humans alike.

Free Will Astrology

Week of Oct. 6, 2022

By Rob Breznsy

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): When you Aries folks are at your best, you are drawn to people who tell you exactly what they think, who aren't intimidated by your high energy, and who dare to be as vigorous as you. I hope you have an array of allies like that in your sphere right now. In my astrological opinion, you especially need their kind of stimulation. It's an excellent time to invite influences that will nudge you out of your status quo and help you glide into a new groove. Are you willing to be challenged and changed?

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Author Toni Morrison thought that beauty was "an absolute necessity" and not "a privilege or an indulgence." She said that "finding, incorporating, and then representing beauty is what humans do." In her view, we can't live without beauty "any more than we can do without dreams or oxygen." All she said is even truer for Tauruses and Libras than the other signs. And you Bulls have an extra wrinkle: It's optimal if at least some of the beauty in your life is useful. Your mandate is summed up well by author Anne Michaels: "Find a way to make beauty necessary; find a way to make necessity beautiful." I hope you'll do a lot of that in the coming weeks.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Philosopher Alfred North Whitehead said, "It requires a very unusual mind to make an analysis of the obvious." I nominate you to perform that service in the coming days, both for yourself and your allies. No one will be better able than you to discern the complexities of seemingly simple situations. You will also have extraordinary power to help people appreciate and even embrace paradox. So be a crafty master of candor and transparency, Gemini. Demonstrate the benefits of being loyal to the objective evidence rather than to the easy and popular delusions. Tell the interesting truths.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Cancerian poet Lucille Clifton sent us all an invitation: "Won't you celebrate with me what i have shaped into a kind of life? i had no model. i made it up here on this bridge between starshine and clay, my one hand holding tight my other hand." During October, fellow Cancerian, I propose you draw inspiration from her heroic efforts to create herself. The coming weeks will be a time when you can achieve small miracles as you bolster your roots, nourish your soulful confidence, and ripen your uniqueness.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): "Dear Rob the Astrologer: This morning I put extra mousse on my hair and blow-dried the hell out of it, so now it is huge and curly and impossibly irresistible. I'm wearing bright orange shoes so everyone will stare at my feet, and a blue silk blouse that is much too high-fashion to wear to work. It has princess seams and matches my eyes. I look fantastic. How could anyone of any gender resist drinking in my magnificence? I realize you're a spiritual type and may not approve of my showmanship, but I wanted you to know that what I'm doing is a totally valid way to be a Leo. —Your Leo teacher Brooke." Dear Brooke: Thank you for your helpful instruction! It's true that I periodically need to loosen my tight grip on my high principles. I must be more open to appreciating life's raw feed. I hope you will perform a similar service for everyone you encounter in the coming weeks.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): How to be the best Virgo you can be during the coming weeks: 1. You must relish, not apologize for, your precise obsessions. 2. Be as nosy as you need to be to discover the core truths hidden beneath the surface. Risk asking almost too many questions in your subtle drive to know everything. 3. Help loved ones and allies shrink and heal their insecurities. 4. Generate beauty and truth through your skill at knowing what needs to be purged and shed. 5. Always have your Bullshit Detector with you. Use it liberally. 6. Keep in close touch with the conversations between your mind and body.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): The Libran approach to fighting for

what's right shouldn't involve getting into loud arguments or trying to manipulate people into seeing things your way. If you're doing what you were born to do, you rely on gentler styles of persuasion. Are you doing what you were born to do? Have you become skilled at using clear, elegant language to say what you mean? Do you work in behalf of the best outcome rather than merely serving your ego? Do you try to understand why others feel the way they do, even if you disagree with their conclusions? I hope you call on these superpowers in the coming weeks. We all need you to be at the height of your potency.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): "One bad apple spoils the rest" is an idiom in the English language. It refers to the idea that if one apple rots as it rests in a pile of apples, the rest will quickly rot, too. It's based on a scientific fact. As an apple decays, it emanates the gas ethylene, which speeds up decay in nearby apples. A variant of this idiom has recently evolved in relation to police misconduct, however. When law enforcement officials respond to such allegations, they say that a few "bad apples" in the police force aren't representative of all the other cops. So I'm wondering which side of the metaphor is at work for you right now, Scorpio. Should you immediately expunge the bad apple in your life? Or should you critique and tolerate it? Should you worry about the possibility of contamination, or can you successfully enforce damage control? Only you know the correct answer.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Of all the signs in the zodiac, you Sagittarians know best how to have fun even when life sucks. Your daily rhythm may temporarily become a tangle of boring or annoying tasks, yet you can still summon a knack for enjoying yourself. But let me ask you this: How are your instincts for drumming up amusement when life doesn't suck? Are you as talented at whipping up glee and inspiration when the daily rhythm is smooth and groovy? I suspect we will gather evidence to answer those questions in the coming weeks. Here's my prediction: The good times will spur you to new heights of creating even more good times.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): More than you might realize, people look to you for leadership and regard you as a role model. This will be extra true in the coming weeks. Your statements and actions will have an even bigger impact than usual. Your influence will ripple out far beyond your sphere. In light of these developments, which may sometimes be subtle, I encourage you to upgrade your sense of responsibility. Make sure your integrity is impeccable. Another piece of advice, too: Be an inspiring example to people without making them feel like they owe you anything.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Rapper-songwriter Nicki Minaj says, "You should never feel afraid to become a piece of art. It's exhilarating." I will go further, Aquarius. I invite you to summon ingenuity and joy in your efforts to be a work of art. The coming weeks will be an ideal time for you to tease out more of your inner beauty so that more people can benefit from it. I hope you will be dramatic and expressive about showing the world the full array of your interesting qualities. PS: Please call on the entertainment value of surprise and unpredictability.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Author Robertson Davies declared, "One learns one's mystery at the price of one's innocence." It sounds poetic, but it doesn't apply to most of you Pisceans—especially now. Here's what I've concluded: The more you learn your mystery, the more innocent you become. Please note I'm using the word "innocence" in the sense defined by author Clarissa Pinkola Estés. She wrote: "Ignorance is not knowing anything and being attracted to the good. Innocence is knowing everything and still being attracted to the good." ●

CROSSWORD by David Levinson Wilk

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LO-CAL LOCAL — ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

ACROSS

1. He/him/____
4. Buddy of "The Beverly Hillbillies"
9. Carol Kane's role on "Taxi"
14. Leaf-cutter, e.g.
15. Time to take first steps, maybe
16. Stand too close to
17. Neither here ____ there
18. West Indies people
19. Syrian president whom Obama called on to resign in 2011
20. The children's movie classification really irked people?
23. Reply to a ques.
24. Danny's gang in "Grease"
25. Japanese tech giant
26. Minnelli of "Cabaret"
27. Mozart's "____ Kleine Nachtmusik"
28. Bus or subway

- option for people on a diet?
31. Some Windows systems
32. It might come with breakfast in bed
34. Targets
35. Oblique comment heard on one half of a 45 record?
38. As a whole
41. Prickly plant parts
42. They can be sculpted and chiseled
45. New staff members who aren't fuzzy-looking in the least?
48. Community celebrated in June, in brief
49. Some HDTVs
50. Ariana Grande's "God ____ Woman"
51. Experience of riding a roller coaster
53. ____ Zealand, Muppet known for fish-throwing

54. Acne cream ingredient's eye part?
57. Aptly named cooler brand
59. Log-in component
60. Apiece
61. Offstage helpers
62. Sue Ann ____, Betty White's role on "The Mary Tyler Moore Show"
63. Utterly defeat, to gamers
64. Many-headed monster of myth
65. Work, as dough
66. Pompous person

DOWN

1. Surf
2. Out of this world?
3. Tries hard
4. "Golly gee!"
5. Icy mass
6. "Bon" time in France
7. Legal term that's French for "on a bench"

8. Snapple competitor
9. Whole heap
10. Auditing org.
11. Artworks made of tiles
12. December celebration since 1966
13. Common recipe step
15. Got 100% on
21. Quattro preceder
22. Treat whose name means, literally, "flash of lightning"
26. Capital of Togo
28. Chap
29. "____ Como Va" (1971 Santana hit)
30. Pot covers
32. General ____ chicken
33. "Say You, Say Me" singer
35. Golden or pale drinks
36. He's next to Teddy on Mount Rushmore
37. Not to be trusted,

- slangily
38. German immunologist and "Magic bullet" developer Paul ____
39. Mensch
40. Rumbled
42. General who defeated Antony and Cleopatra
43. Airt of many public affairs programmes
44. Bear's Wall Street partner
46. "My performance was awful!"
47. Trail mix fruit
48. Whole bunch
51. Use a pepper mill
52. DEA agents, e.g.
54. Parks who took a seat to take a stand
55. Campbell of "Scream"
56. Region
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*The Hoopa Valley Tribe is
accepting applications to fill the
following vacant position*

EDUCATION DIRECTOR

Education Department, Regular, Full-Time, **Salary:** \$70,000-\$90,000 DOE, Provides overall leadership of the education department, plan, coordinate, direct education programs and services, and addresses other education issues related to implementing of the Hoopa Tribal Education Association's strategic plan on behalf of the Hoopa Tribe. **Minimum Qualifications:** Masters of Arts/Science degree preferred. 3-5 year related experience in management positions with direct supervision of staff preferred. Bachelors of Arts/Science degree will be considered with equivalent education and experience. Proven Background in Native American Indian Education and understanding of local Native American Indian cultural heritage. **DEADLINE: October 28, 2022**

For job descriptions & employment applications, contact the Human Resource Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546. Call (530) 625-9200 Ext. 23 or email dori.marshall@hoopainsurance.com or hr2@hoopainsurance.com. The Tribe's Alcohol & Drug Policy and TERO Ordinance Apply.



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ACCOUNTS PAYABLE SPECIALIST, Arcata

Duties include a variety of specialized tasks involving the prep & processing of on-going accounts payable. High school graduate or equivalent, plus 3 yrs. of bookkeeping exp. F/T, 40 hrs./wk. \$21.03-\$22.08/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

CENTER DIRECTOR, Eureka

Overall management of a Head Start center base program. Must meet Teacher Level on Child Development Permit Matrix, plus 3 units in Administration (BA/BS Degree in Child Development or a related field preferred). Req. a minimum of 2 yrs. exp. working w/ preschool children in a group setting. F/T 40 hr./wk. (M-Fri); \$20.50-\$22.61/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

TEMPORARY ASSOCIATE TEACHER, Willow Creek

Assists teacher in the implementation & supervision of activities for preschool children. Req. a minimum of 12 ECE units—incl. core classes—and at least one-year exp. working w/ children. F/T Temporary, 32 hrs./wk., \$17.43-\$18.30/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

TEACHERS, McKinleyville, Eureka

Responsible for development & implementation of classroom activities—providing support & supervision for a toddler program. Must meet Associate Teacher Level on Child Development Permit Matrix & have one-year exp. teaching in a toddler setting. F/T position: 40 hrs./wk. & P/T position: 25-28 hrs./wk. \$17.94-\$19.78/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

Please note: Per grant requirements, All NCS staff are required to submit proof of a complete COVID -19 vaccination, except those who are granted an exemption. All staff who are eligible for an exemption must undergo weekly testing for SARS-CoV-2 infection. All staff must wear face coverings regardless of vaccination status. Please contact Administrative Services if you need information regarding vaccinations or exemptions.

Submit applications to:
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HUMBOLDT SUPERIOR COURT Court Reporter

SALARY RANGE:
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FT-35 HRS. (NON-EXEMPT)/FULL BENEFITS

Journey level classification in which incumbents are responsible for independently providing court reporting services within an assigned courtroom or other court proceedings. Work may involve real-time transcription, traditional stenographic recording, or use of audio/video recording media. Transcribes and prepares verbatim notes in printed or magnetic media transcripts using computer-aided transcription software within prescribed time deadlines; performs related duties as assigned.

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SALARY RANGE: \$36.74 - \$44.66 PER HR.
FT-40 HRS. (NON-EXEMPT)/FULL BENEFITS

Under general direction Court Interpreters perform literal and general interpretation in Superior Court proceedings and interviews requiring fluency in English and Spanish. Court Interpreters may also be called upon to provide site translations of court exhibits (reading written texts and giving an oral translation of text), other duties as assigned. Must possess a valid Certificate as a Court Interpreter in the State of California.

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The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position

ROADS DIRECTOR

Roads Department, Regular, F/T, **Salary:** DOE. Responsible for planning and maintaining transportation systems on the Hoopa Valley Indian Reservation; and, oversees all operations including Road Construction, Aggregate and Ready-mix enterprises, New Construction, and Road maintenance program. **Minimum Qualifications:** Must have a Bachelor's Degree in Engineering, Planning, or a related field; **AND** a Minimum of 5 years of public road maintenance, facilities, and construction experience at a management level; **OR** an equivalent combination of education, training and/or experience. Knowledgeable about federal and state laws pertaining to road construction (BIA, FHA, NEPA, and highway and bridge engineering); Class A General Engineering Contractor's license preferred, but not required; and, knowledgeable in the basic operation of heavy machinery. Must have a valid CA Driver's License and be insurable. **DEADLINE: September 9, 2022.**

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SOCIAL WORKER

FT in Eureka, CA. Advocating & coord. services for indiv. w/dev & intellectual disabilities. Requires BA w/exp in human services or related field. Sal range starts \$3990/mo. Exc. bene.

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YOUTH PROGRAM MANAGER Regular, F/T, Salary: \$20/hr. the Program Manager is responsible for planning, coordination, and implementation of activities at the Wiyot Youth Programs. This includes addressing the developmental needs, interests, and characteristics of youth based upon the assessment of needs and interests of youth and the community. Activities shall strive to relate to the five core areas of Youth Programming. Other duties assigned. Experience / Education Required: Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education, Child Development, Elementary Education or Special Education or related fields. Two years of experience working with youth in a leadership position. Demonstrated experience in planning, developing, and implementing activities that provide social enrichment and personal development. Must be able to complete a background check, DOJ fingerprinting and Tuberculosis test before beginning work. Pre-employment drug testing required. Full-time positions offer excellent benefits: paid vacation/ sick leave, 16 paid holidays, health, dental, life insurance and matched profit sharing. Open until filled. Please go to www.wiyot.us for complete job description. Contact Operations Manager for an application and submit to Wiyot Tribe 1000 Wiyot Dr. Loleta, CA 95551 www.wiyot.us



HUMBOLDT SUPERIOR COURT Research Attorney

\$85,403-\$119,564 FT - 40 HRS.
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For more information or to apply online please visit our website at: www.ci.eureka.ca.gov. Final filing date is **Friday, October 14, 2022 at 5pm. EOE.**

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Hoop Tribal Police Department, Regular, Full-time, **Salary:**
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Minimum Qualifications: Must possess a Basic Academy
Certificate from a California P.O.S.T. approved academy
or ability to recertify within 6 months of conditional offer
and successful completion of background investigation.
Additional requirements are listed in the job description.
Must have a California Driver's license and be insurable.
Must successfully pass a Title 30A Employment Background
and a California Police Officer Standards and Training
(P.O.S.T.) background checks.

DEADLINE: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

This position is classified safety-sensitive.

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ASSISTANT TEACHERS, Eureka, McKinleyville, Fortuna, Del Norte

Assist center staff in the day-to-day operation
of the classroom for a preschool program.
6-12 ECE units preferred or enrolled in ECE
classes and have 6 months' exp. working w/
children. P/T 17-27 hrs./wk. \$15.38-\$16.96/
hr. **Open until Filled.**

INTERPRETERS, Eureka, Fortuna

Assist in interpreting in class, at parent
meetings and on home visits for children and
families. Bilingual Spanish required. Must
have 6 months' exp. working w/ children and
families. Prefer 6-12 units in Early Childhood
Education. P/T 12-20 hrs./wk. \$15.38-\$16.96/
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K'ima:w Medical Center

an entity of the Hoopa Valley Tribe, is seeking applicants for the following positions:

FACILITIES ASSOCIATE – FT REGULAR (\$15.99 PER HOUR) – Installs, maintains, and repairs machinery, equipment, pipe, electrical systems KMC land maintenance in and around the health care facility and related building. Must be a self-starter and solution seeking. High school diploma or GED equivalent, one year certificate from college or technical school; or three to six months related experience and/or training; or equivalent combination of both; current CPR certificate or obtain within 60 days of hire; valid CA Driver's License. **DEADLINE TO APPLY IS OCTOBER 10, 2022 BY 5PM.**

WELLNESS COORDINATOR – FT Regular (\$20.00 - \$23.00 per hour DOE)

OUTREACH AND PREVENTION – FT Regular (\$20.40 per hour)

HIM MANAGER – FT Regular (\$30.60 - \$35.49 per hour DOE)

BILLING OFFICE SUPERVISOR – FT Regular (\$30.60 - \$33.78 per hour DOE)

MEDICAL BILLING SPECIALIST – FT Regular (\$17.90 - \$24.25 hr. DOE)

CERTIFIED MEDICAL ASSISTANT – FT REGULAR (\$20.44 - \$27.55 PER HOUR DOE) OR MEDICAL ASSISTANT – FT Regular (\$18.62-\$25.09 per hour DOE)

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GRANT WRITER & PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS – FT/Regular (\$29.00-36.00 per hour DOE)

DENTAL HYGIENIST – FT/Regular (\$39.00-43.00 DOE)

PHYSICIAN – FT/Regular

MEDICAL DIRECTOR – FT/Regular

MENTAL HEALTH CLINICIAN – FT/Regular

MAT RN CARE MANAGER – FT/Regular

All positions above are Open Until Filled unless otherwise stated.

For an application, job description, and additional information, contact: K'ima:w Medical Center, Human Resources, PO Box 1288, Hoopa, CA, 95546 or call 530-625-4261 or email: apply@kimaw.org for a job description and application. You can also check our website listings for details at kimaw.org. Resume and CV are not accepted without a signed application.



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DISHGAMU PROJECT MANAGER

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Temporary - Part-Time.
\$24.00 – \$28.00 per hour.

Under the general direction of the City Manager, the position is responsible for developing and administering the Fortuna Business Improvement District programs and activities, and acting as a liaison between the City of Fortuna and its business community; and to do related work as required with an emphasis on fulfilling the purposes of the Business Improvement District. The expected term for this position is 6-12 months and may be renewed annually depending upon achievement of stated goals and objectives. Must be at least 18 years of age. Complete job description and required application available at friendlyfortuna.com or City of Fortuna, 621 11th Street.

Applications must be received by 4:00 pm Friday, October 14, 2022.



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Full Benefits

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Jobs@humboldtcourt.ca.gov.



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Employment
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Deputy Clerk IV/V

Salary range:

\$20.01-\$27.00/hr.

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CEO: Hoopa Forest Industries

Regular, Full-Time, Salary: \$60,000-\$70,000.

The CEO assesses and analyzes each component of operation identifying key performance indicators required to ensure an efficient compliant, and profitable enterprise.

The CEO will engage in strategic planning, goal setting, and coordination of all aspects of the organization, and will be responsible for daily operations to include employing, directing, training and discharging employees. Will be responsible for logging plans and inspects designated timber tract(s) and terrain to determine method for logging operation, size of crew, and required equipment. **Minimum Qualifications:** Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year college in forestry or related field, Or four to ten years related experience and/or training. Registered Forester Certification desired. Additional requirements are listed in the job description. **DEADLINE: November 1, 2022**

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One of a kind ±160 acre property conveniently located off South Fork Road. Enjoy beautiful views, lush meadows, a mixture of fir and oak timber, and two creeks running through the parcel. Property is surrounded by Forest Service offering privacy and seclusion.



KNEELAND - HOME ON ACREAGE - \$719,000

±55 Acre homestead featuring a cozy, well constructed 3/1 home, open meadows, well, mixed timber, fruit trees, and plenty of useable space for gardening, animals, and hobbies!



WILLOW CREEK - HOME ON ACREAGE - \$1,050,000

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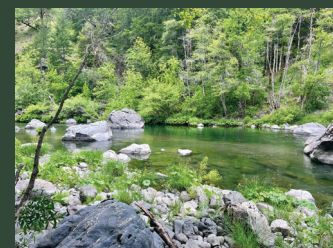


WEAVERVILLE - LAND/PROPERTY - \$94,000

Undeveloped, mostly steep ±40 acre parcel with top the of the world mountain views! Property is conveniently located just off Highway 299, only 10 minutes west of Weaverville.

SHOWERS PASS - LAND/PROPERTY - \$300,000

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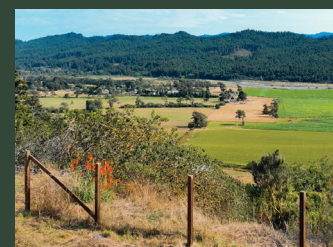
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